

## NAME PAYNE TO SUCCEED SMITH

Wisconsin Man Gets Chair in President Roosevelt's Cabinet.

## MR. SMITH RESIGNS

Highest Praise and Commendation for Proposed New Postmaster-General.

## TAKES CHARGE JAN. 1.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Charles Emory Smith has tendered his resignation as postmaster general and Henry C. Payne of Milwaukee has been chosen his successor. The first announcement was made at the cabinet meeting late yesterday afternoon. Mr. Payne has accepted the post and his name will be sent to the senate on the re-assembling of congress after the holidays. Mr. Smith has agreed to remain in office until about the 10th of January.

**First Break in Cabinet**  
Mr. Smith's resignation is the first break in President Roosevelt's cabinet. It foreshadows others in the near future. President Roosevelt and the Postmaster General are on the best of terms and Mr. Smith leaves the public service for personal and business reasons alone. All stories of a misunderstanding between the new president and him are without foundation.

The resignation of Postmaster General Smith caused no surprise in well informed circles, though it had been supposed he would not leave the cabinet till after New Year's.

**Were Warm Friends**  
The president accepted Mr. Smith's resignation with great reluctance. Although the two men knew little of each other before last September, the three months in which they have been brought into close association have made them warm friends, with great respect and admiration for each other's good qualities.

The president has given Mr. Smith full sway in his department and has consulted him about general matters of policy. Mr. Roosevelt endeavored to induce Mr. Smith to withdraw his resignation, but Mr. Smith explained that he circumstances were such as to make it necessary for him to return to Philadelphia. The president asked him if he would not withhold it for a time, but Mr. Smith was unable to do this.

**Choice Not a Surprise**  
Mr. Payne's appointment of postmaster general created no surprise because his close relations with President Roosevelt have been understood. The greatest interest, however, has been manifested in the retirement of the first one of President McKinley's official family from the cabinet owing to the belief that his will inevitably lead to other changes in the near future.

**Henry C. Payne is Popular**  
Mr. Payne's appointment as postmaster general gives general satisfaction not only because he is extremely popular personally, but also because he is better fitted for the position of postmaster general so far as experience goes than any man who has held the position for generations, with the possible exception of Mr. James of New York.

Mr. Payne was postmaster at Milwaukee for ten years, serving under Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Arthur and Cleveland. In that period, from 1876 to 1886, he had ample opportunity to learn thoroughly the business of the postoffice department. He goes into the office thoroughly equipped from a civil service point of view and besides that has always been an active political manager.

**On National Committee**  
For twenty years or so he has been a member of the republican national committee and during each campaign served in an executive capacity, so his acquaintance with public men is extraordinarily large. Great stress is laid on the fact also that Mr. Payne has developed great executive ability as president of the Milwaukee Electric railroad, light companies, and telephone companies.

Mr. Payne was selected for the same position. It is said, in Mr. McKinley's first cabinet, but was not appointed because of various labor troubles in Milwaukee which happened to be acute at that time.

**Always a Friend of Roosevelt**  
In the National committee the relations of Mr. Payne, the vice chairman, to Colonel Roosevelt were of the most intimate character. He arranged all the details for the great railroad trip of the Rough Rider candidate, and thus was brought into constant communication with the candidate for vice president. These relations have ripened steadily.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne have heretofore entertained President and Mrs. Roosevelt at their own home in Milwaukee, and one of the first informal dinners given by the president after his advent to the White House was at this couple, who are destined to be among the leaders of their brilliant administration now in its first season.

**Mrs. Payne a Social Leader**  
Mrs. Payne was Lydia Wood Van Dyke, a descendant of one of the Knickerbockers. She is a member of the society of Descendants of Colonial Governors. Hendrich Van Dyke came to New Amsterdam as attorney general with Peter Stuyvesant in 1646. Mrs. Payne is also a prominent member of the Colonial Dames, the Huguenot society, and the

Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a delegate to the seventh continental congress of this society four years ago, and has been a frequent guest of Senator and Mrs. Spooner in this city on numerous occasions.

**Moved to Wisconsin**  
Mr. and Mrs. Payne were married at Mount Holly, N. J., and immediately thereafter moved to Wisconsin, where the Payne home on Aster street in Milwaukee soon became the center of the social gayeties of that city. Mrs. Payne is a woman of tact and keen social instinct.

While she never omits a social obligation there is a serious side to her character which finds work in promoting efficiently every educational plan of merit which appeals to her. Although childless herself, she has a warm affection for her two young nieces, Miss Margaret Louise Jones and Miss Margaret Van Dyke. These young women will be additions to the younger social set.

**News Received in Milwaukee**  
Milwaukee, Wis., December 18.—The appointment of Henry C. Payne to a cabinet position created considerable surprise here except among a few of Mr. Payne's intimate friends, to whom it was intimated several days ago that the appointment would be made. Opinion upon the appointment is divided here. That element of the republican party at the head of which stands Mr. Payne and Senator Spooner, is, of course, elated over the appointment. The element of the republican party headed by Governor LaFollette is disappointed.

**Report About Payne**  
Washington, D. C., December 18.—There is an interesting report to the effect that Postmaster General Payne will favor government ownership of the telegraph. Whether this is true or not it is more than possible that he will be called upon to handle the subject during his term of office as a number of bills on the subject will be given much consideration at this session of congress.

## PAYNE SOON TO START WEST

Wisconsin Man Discusses His Appointment to the Cabinet  
Jamestown, N. Y., December 18.—Henry C. Payne has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. S. Cameron, in this city for several days. He said last evening:

"While in Washington last week as a member of the McKinley memorial commission President Roosevelt tendered me the office of postmaster general, and, after some consideration I accepted, previous to leaving the city. I have no information to impart beyond that contained in the dispatches presumably given out at the White House, following the meeting of the cabinet."

"I intended to leave for my home in Wisconsin this afternoon, but, owing to the irregularity of the train, my departure was postponed. I shall leave for home tomorrow and beyond that there is nothing to make public in regard to my plans for the future."

**Dis de Bar Plead Not Guilty**  
London, December 18.—Theodore and Laura Jackson (Dis de Bar) were arraigned today and plead not guilty on the charges of immorality and with obtaining money under false pretenses. The prisoners were uneasy and manifestly not so confident as they were during the preliminary hearing.

## TOE AND FINGER NAILS DROP OFF

Watertown Resident Has Disease That Baffles Physicians—New Skin After Each Spell.

Watertown, Wis., Dec. 18.—George Henze of this city is afflicted with a peculiar ailment. He is subject to periodical sickness after which his skin peels off and his toe and finger nails drop off. He is a former sheriff of Jefferson county and is also a justice of the peace, which office he has held for several years.

The disease to which he is subject first appeared in 1898, and has returned several times a year since. It has baffled medical skill, although medicine has relieved the sufferer when the attacks come on. In one year he had the trouble three times and acquired an entirely new skin each time. The attacks last generally three weeks, and during this time the temperature of the body rises as high as 106.

He has just recovered from a recent stage of this illness. The cause is said to be due to a peculiar affection of the kidneys, but physicians here say they have never heard of a like case. When the attack first comes on the body is spotted all over and assumes the hue of an Indian's skin. Physicians have ordered an operation but to this Henze will not consent as he considers himself too old for the ordeal.

## FREIGHT TRAIN CREW IS BLAMED

Coroner's Jury at Rockford Returns Verdict on the Illinois Central Accident.

Rockford, Ill., December 18.—The coroner's jury formed to inquire into the death of the Illinois Central wreck victims reported last night, charging the responsibility of the catastrophe on the crew of the freight train No. 51 because of the failure to obey orders. Frank Rident, of Paxton, Ill., who boarded the train at Freeport, has not been seen since the wreck and is believed to be among the dead.

John Hurd and wife of Indian Ford were in the city yesterday looking over the holiday displays.

## OVER A MILLION TO UNIVERSITY

Rockefeller Adds \$1,250,000 to Former Donations to Chicago School.

## GREAT XMAS GIFT

Unknown Benefactors Also Contribute the Sum of \$375,000.

## WANT A LAW SCHOOL

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The University of Chicago received a Christmas present of \$1,250,000 yesterday from John D. Rockefeller, the founder of the institution. A gift of \$375,437 was also announced, with the names of the donors and the purpose for which the amount was given was withheld.

The latest gift of Mr. Rockefeller makes a total of over \$10,000,000 which has been donated by the founder of the university. Of the amount that was given from the Rockefeller millions \$1,000,000 will be used in the general endowment fund of the institution and \$250,000 will be employed in meeting the regular annual deficit. The university has received during a little over ten years of life nearly \$16,000,000 in gifts.

**General Assets \$12,364,216.**  
The announcement of the donations were made yesterday afternoon by President Harper at the Fortieth Convocation, held in the State Auditor's office. President Harper made the further announcement that the general assets of the university were \$12,364,216, and that the estimated expenses for the year of 1901-1902 were \$907,175.

President Harper reported the attendance of the university in the different departments to have been 2,427 in the last quarter. A large portion of his report was devoted to the work of the medical school, the college of commerce and politics, and the school of education, all of which branches of the university's activity he declared to be in a prosperous condition. He also reported progress on the new buildings in course of erection.

**Plans for Law School**  
Mr. Harper announced that the university authorities have been considering the establishment of a law school and had come to the conclusion that the factors required were a "library of 25,000 or 30,000 volumes, a building costing from \$100,000 to \$150,000, and an endowment fund of \$250,000." These needs President Harper presented as an opportunity for some individual willing to co-operate with the university in establishing a school.

## MAY SUE THE SCHOOL BOARD

Topeka Man Objects to Religious Instruction in the Schools.  
Topeka, Dec. 18.—J. B. Willard, a wealthy grain dealer, whose 10-year old son was expelled from school to day for refusing to take part in the religious exercises, threatens to bring action in the courts for a settlement. The school board recently ruled that the reading of the Bible and repeating of the Lord's prayer should be mandatory at the opening exercises in the schools. Willard says he instructed his boy not to take part in this exercise.

## GRANDEST HOTEL ON THIS CONTINENT

New Building for New York City, Which Will Surpass Anything of the Kind Known.

New York, December 18.—New York is to have another magnificent hotel. It is to be erected on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fourth street. According to the statements of those interested in the venture it is to be the most beautiful and complete hotel on the continent. With Delmonico's on one adjacent corner and Sherry's on the other the hotel will try to outshine its neighbors in up-to-date appliances.

The syndicate that is to build the hotel is composed of wealthy New Yorkers, headed by Dr. William Seward Webb, son-in-law of the late William H. Vanderbilt.

The hotel will be a skyscraper and will have at least 400 rooms for the accommodation of guests. It will be a diversified and picturesque structure, abounding in loggias, balconies and gables. If the expectations of the promoters are realized it will be the tallest hotel in the city of New York.

The main floor will be finished in onyx, mosaic and marble. The private dining and banquet rooms will be finished in gorgeous style. All of the separate apartments will be modeled after those of famous palaces of Europe. There will be new style of noiseless elevators, exhaust air shafts, safe deposit boxes, telephone service in the rooms, and conveniences which the promoters say have never before been seen in any hotel.

**Crew and Passengers Safe**  
Paris, Dec. 18.—Forty-six members of the crew of the steamer Kleber which went ashore near the mouth of the Rhone at Marseilles were rescued. Six members of the crew remain on the vessel, as do the officers who refuse to leave it.

## KRUGER READY TO TALK PEACE

An Official Announcement That He is Willing to Discuss Terms.

## BOERS MAY GIVE IN

There May Be Some Good Results, if They Are "Amicably Approached."

## CAPTURE BOER CHIEF

Amsterdam, December 18.—The Boers are moderating their demands. A prominent adviser of Kruger asked if Kruger would agree with Rosebury according to the latter's suggestions in his Chesterfield speech and replied: "Yes, if we were amicably approached." After a long consultation with Kruger and some local Boers Kruger's adviser officially announced that Kruger was willing to discuss terms of peace.

**Kritzing is Captured**  
London, December 18.—A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated from Belfast (about half-way between Pretoria and the frontier of Portuguese East Africa) received here today announces that Commandant Kritzing, the famous Boer commander who has figured so prominently in connection with the invasion of Cape Colony, has been captured, badly wounded, by General French. Kritzing was trying to break the blockhouse cordon at Hanover road.

Commandant Kritzing has been described as a leader of exceptional ability, not second even to De Wet. He has been repeatedly referred to in dispatches from South Africa as being hotly pursued, cornered or crushed up against the Orange river in flood. But he always managed to escape through some gap in the uncertain British line.

Kritzing has been styled the "De Wet of Cape Colony," and his capture is regarded as very important. He has been a troublesome and energetic invader of Cape Colony and is credited with more barbarities than any other commandant except Schepers.

**An Approaching Crisis**  
During the last few days most persistent reports emanating both from South Africa and from Boer headquarters in Europe of an approaching crisis in South African affairs have been current. It is alleged that Mr. Kruger will abandon his demand for independence and that the Boer leaders in the field are to cease fighting and seek the best terms obtainable.

In a speech yesterday at Cape Town Sir J. Gordon Sprigg, the premier of Cape Colony declared that the outlook had never been brighter than at the present time.

Berne, December 18.—The Bundesrath has declined to approach Great Britain on the subject of the concentration camps in South Africa, taking the ground that it might be interpreted as unwarrantable interference in the affairs of a foreign country.

## TAXES, OLD SUBJECT

Newspaper, Yellow with Age, Containing News of Fifty Years Ago, Found in Madison.

Madison, Wis., December 18.—In the office of the railroad commissioner a few days ago the big iron door of the vault became fast, and when the workmen removed the back, an old newspaper was found. There was nothing to show the date of the paper but the fact that the stages ran in and out of Madison, and that H. A. Patterson was postmaster at Janesville, was made out.

There was also a statement regarding the question of unequal taxation, showing that the legislature had appointed a committee to investigate. It is supposed that the paper is at least fifty years old. Railroad Commissioner Rice has retained the paper, but before the door was put in place a newspaper of a recent date was inserted, and in it was an article on the same question, so that if the back of the door is removed again fifty years from now the paper will be found. Other data, telling the story of the first finding, was also put into the door.

D. A. Lewis of Baraboo called on business acquaintances in this city yesterday.

## HON. GABE BOUCK IS 73 YEARS OLD

Oshkosh, Wis., Dec. 18.—Colonel Gabe Bouck, the dean of the Winnebago county bar, and one of the most picturesque characters in the state was 73 years old yesterday. His birthplace is Fultonham, Schoharie county, New York, and he has resided in Oshkosh for nearly half a century. He went to the front as captain of Company B, Second Wisconsin, at the outbreak of the rebellion, and served all through, coming out with the rank of colonel. Colonel Bouck is hale and hearty and does a hard day's work in his office every day but Sunday. His most notable creation is riding about the city on his Kentucky-bred saddle horse.

He lived for years at the Seymour house, on the South side, but since the destruction of that habitation by fire several years ago, he has made his home at the Athearn hotel.

## CRANBERRY CROP IS A LARGE ONE

One Million Bushels Gathered in 1901—Industry Involves Large Capital; Employs Many.

One of the notable successes of 1901 is the cranberry industry; for, when the last of the yield was picked an aggregate of one million bushels was reached. By comparing this with the yield of 1900—559,000 bushels—the success stands revealed. The cranberry is as closely allied to the Christmas dinner as the holly to the Christmas tree; but of the millions who enjoy the tart berry, few know how it is cultivated. The berries are grown in bogs that cost from \$300 to \$500 per acre. The soil in which they flourish is composed of peat, and clean, sharp sand, the latter being absolutely essential to a healthy growth.

The bush on which the berries appear grows to be about six inches high and every year it puts out "runners," that, in turn take root and form new bushes; so that when a bog first becomes productive, five years from the time of its beginning, it is thickly covered with bushes.

This growth is accentuated by a system of irrigation that keeps the bog water soaked, though not to such a degree as to cause anything like a liquid state. The irrigation plan is most useful as a protection against frost; for when the grower believes a frosty night is at hand he opens the floodgates and allows the water to overflow the bog, until it is from eighteen to twenty-four inches over berry and bush. The next morning the bog is drained and the fruit picked.

The picking process is a simple one. It consists in placing the flangers, slightly spread, beneath a bush, and then, by an upward movement, raking the bush clean of its fruit. By means of a winnowing machine the berries are freed from dirt and leaves. New York City alone consumes 250,000 bushels of cranberries every Christmas season.

## DIVORCES ARE THE RUIN OF WOMAN

Pope Leo at Rome Declares That the Laws for Separation Are Criminal.

Rome, Dec. 18.—The pope declares that the example of other countries in the matter of divorce was criminal in so far as they recognized divorce. He prayed God to spare Italy from this social plague which once admitted even on a limited scale, spread like a conflagration. The pontiff declares that divorce was the moral ruin of woman.

## FOUR TAKE LIFE IN THEIR ROOMS

Two Men and Two Women at Columbus, Ohio, Die from the Effects of Chloroform.

Columbus, O., December 18.—Two young women and two young men were found dead last night in rooms at a boarding house on East Russell street, and evidence points to a quadruple suicide, deliberately planned. The dead are:

PEARL WARNER, aged 28, second cook at the Manhattan restaurant.

LOU KLINE, aged 18, third cook at the same restaurant.

SHERMAN LOTHOUSE, a cab driver.

JOHN JACOBS, chief cook at the Manhattan.

The two couples went to the boarding house Sunday and secured adjoining rooms. Yesterday nothing was seen of them and though the rooms remained locked and no response could be secured to repeated calls suspicion was not aroused until last night. Finally the doors to the rooms were forced and the occupants were discovered lying on the beds dead.

The keyholes and cracks around the doors had been closed with rags and fumes of chloroform filled the rooms, disclosing the cause of death. It was evident that both couples had planned suicide, but the motive is not known.

## EXPRESS COMPANY CHRISTMAS GIFTS

The American Will Give \$10 to Each of Its 10,000 Employees—\$100,000 in All.

New York, December 18.—The 10,000 employees of the American Express company of the United States will be made happy tomorrow morning when President James C. Payne makes the announcement that the company will give every person in its employ a Christmas present of \$10. This makes necessary the taking of about \$100,000 from the yearly profits of the company.

"Every person in the company's employ," said W. H. Long, the agent of the main office, "from the small boy who pastes labels on the boxes to the highest priced general and division manager, each and every one will receive his \$10. Last Christmas the company gave us \$5 each, a thing no express corporation had ever done before, and we felt exceedingly grateful. This year I was much surprised when I learned that the sum was to be doubled."

The money will be distributed on Dec. 24.

**No Change in Copper**  
New York, Dec. 18.—The Amalgamated opened this morning at 63 1/2, the same as yesterday's close.

## TOIL AND MONEY ARE MADE ONE

Basis of the Treaty Made Between Capital and Labor.

## WANT ARBITRATION

Representative Committee of the Leading Men on Both Sides is Appointed.

## END INDUSTRIAL WAR

New York, December 18.—There is to be peace between capital and labor if the plans of the Civic Federation Conference can be carried out. The conference today agreed to give the peace plan a practical test.

An executive committee of thirty-seven men—twelve representing capital, twelve labor and thirteen the general public—was appointed. This committee will meet today for organization and it will at once enter upon the work of drafting a working plan upon which all disputes between capital and labor may be adjusted without resort to lockout, strike or boycott.

**Make Up the Committee**  
The executive committee is made up of the following:

**FOR THE CAPITALISTS.**  
Mark A. Hanna, United States senator.  
James A. Chamberlain, president American Glass company, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
William H. Fisher, president National Association of Store Manufacturers.  
S. R. Callaway, president American Locomotive works.  
Lewis Nixon, president and owner of the Crescent Silk Mill, Elizabethport, N. Y.  
Charles M. Schwab, president United States Steel corporation.  
H. H. Vreeland, president Metropolitan Street railway company, New York.  
Charles A. Moore, president of the Machine Manufacturing company.  
John D. Rockefeller, Jr.  
J. P. Ripley, president Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway.  
Marcus M. Marks, president National Association of Clothing Manufacturers.  
Julius Kruttschnitt, general manager South ern Pacific railroad.

**FOR ORGANIZED LABOR.**  
Samuel Gompers, president American Federation of labor.  
John Mitchell, president of United Mine Workers.  
Frank P. Sargent, Grand Master Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.  
Theodore J. Schaffer, president Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers.  
James Dugan, secretary Granite Cutters' union.  
Daniel J. Keefe, president International Association of Longshoremen.  
James O'Connell, president International Association of Machinists.  
Martin Fox, president Iron Molders' National union.

James E. Lynch, president International Typographical union.  
Edward E. Clarke, grand master Brotherhood of Railway Conductors.  
Henry White, secretary Garment Workers of America.  
Walter MacArthur, editor Coast Seaman's Journal, San Francisco.  
Ex-President Grover Cleveland.  
Archbishop John Ireland.  
Bishop Henry C. Potter.  
Charles Francis Adams, Boston.  
Cornelius N. Bliss, ex-secretary of the Interior.  
Charles W. Elliot, president of Harvard University.  
Frank McVeech, Chicago.  
James H. Eccles, ex-controller of the Currency, Chicago.  
John J. McCook, lawyer, New York.  
John G. Milburn, Buffalo.  
Charles A. Bonaparte, Baltimore.  
Chairman of the conference, Oscar S. Straus, and Secretary Ralph M. Easley are ex-officio members of the committee.

**Last Day of the Conference**  
The principal officers of the American Federation of Labor attended the closing session of the conference and gave the project their commendation. Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation, in his speech disavowed antagonism on the part of organized labor toward aggregation of capital and said that he welcomed them industrially.

Frank Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen in a brief address declared that unionism was not a menace but an instrument for peace and good, was within the law and a strong influence toward the maintenance of the republic.

John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, declared he had never seen a strike that could not have been averted if the two interests had met fairly in advance.

## ADMIRAL SAMPSON IS VERY SICK MAN

He Has Not Been Cognizant of the Various Phases of the Court of Inquiry.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Admiral William T. Sampson is critically ill and probably will never again leave his house on New Hampshire avenue. Every pleasant day since the Admiral and his family returned from the mountains at the end of the summer season he was able to take an afternoon walk accompanied by Mrs. Sampson. On Sunday he went out for the last time, but found himself so weak that he was obliged to return to the house without finishing the walk.

It was learned today that Admiral Sampson has not been cognizant of the various features of the so-called Sampson-Schley controversy for a year or more. Until recently he has known in a general way what has been going on, but has taken no personal interest in the case, not even while the court of inquiry was in session. He has displayed no interest whatever in the findings.



## WAS A BRILLIANT SOCIAL SUCCESS

Miss Emma Winans, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Winans, Made Her Debut.

Under the happiest of circumstances and amid the most pleasant surroundings, Miss Emma Winans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Winans, made her debut into the society circles of Janesville, the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Winans and their daughter at Assembly hall being in reality a coming out party for Miss Emma. Miss Winans has spent the greater part of her young life at Kemper Hall, Kenosha, from which she graduated with high honors last June.

Leading society people were present in large numbers to welcome the fair debutant and the occasion was honored by the presence of men, prominent in professional and political circles who seldom attend society events.

From eight until nine o'clock the time was spent in exchanging greetings and in introductions. The receiving party stood near the center of the west side of the hall. Mrs. Winans was handsomely gowned in rich gray silk, enhanced by garnet and diamond ornaments and carried deep red roses. Miss Winans wore a becoming gown of pink broadened satin, with pearls and diamonds and carried English violets. Owing to Mr. Winans' failing eyesight his duties as host were shared by Mrs. Winans' son, Charles C. Russell, of Milwaukee, and George M. McKee.

Dancing began at nine o'clock and continued until another day had been ushered in. The music was especially fine, both Smith's orchestra and the Imperial band having been engaged for the occasion. No other music is quite so inspiring for the lively two step as band music and the orchestra played entrancingly for the other dances. Words of highest praise were constantly heard from the guests for the unusually fine musical arrangement. The musicians were seated in the balcony, thus leaving the entire floor clear for the dancers and spectators.

The decorations were unique and very attractive, consisting of oriental hangings and handsome rugs. Green vines and potted palms were used effectively and the ladies' reception room was beautified with pink roses. The handsomest decorations were in the refreshment room, which has generally been used on previous occasions as a smoking room by the gentlemen. By an elaborate use of handsome screens, rugs and draperies this room was transformed into a veritable oriental den, in the center of which the polished dining room table looked very handsome with its butterfly bows of white satin ribbon and a large vase filled with immense feathery white chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Horace M. McElroy and Miss Adelaide Best had charge of this room and saw that the guests were served with refreshments during the evening. Mrs. Louise Dowerman was the caterer and delicious novelty characterized the refreshments which included brick cream and ice, white cake, angel kisses, devil kisses and confections. The refreshments were not only of the highest quality but they were faultlessly served and the wants of the guests were promptly cared for by the Misses Elizabeth McKee, Charlotte Mount, Elizabeth Wilcox, Lucy Fox, Julia Lovejoy and Emma Richardson. Fruitful lemonade was also served at a daintily spread table in the dance hall during the entire evening.

While all ostentatious display had been carefully avoided, every detail of the party was characterized by a refined elegance and perfect taste, which gave quiet evidence of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Winans had spared neither thought nor expense in providing for the handsome entertainment of their guests. Even in the smallest details the comfort of the guests had been considered, maids having been provided to assist the ladies in the dressing rooms; Fred Taylor, the gentlemanly porter, waited on the guests in the outer hallway during the early evening and served them in many ways until the last good-night had been said. The reception was a brilliant success and was thoroughly enjoyed by about three hundred of the leading people of the city.

## AN EVENING WITH THE ROMANTICISTS

Interesting Program by the Musical-Literary Society at Christ Church Parish House.

The regular meeting of the Musical-Literary society was held at Christ church parish house last evening and proved a very interesting one. In spite of the fact that several numbers on the program as originally planned were necessarily omitted on account of the absence of those who were to have given them. There was a good attendance although not as large as there have been at the previous meetings of this season.

In the absence of Mrs. J. F. Sweeney the program was announced by Mrs. J. F. Penner, the first number of the evening with the Romanticists being an instrumental quartet for the piano and four mandolins. The selection "On the Beautiful Rhine" by Kela Bela, was an especially good one and it was excellently played by Miss May Treat, George Baumann, Harry Haggart and Lawrence Doty.

One of the most enjoyable numbers on the program was the vocal solo, "Whisper and I Shall Hear" by Piccolomini, sung by Mrs. Moore, whose sweet voice was heard at excellent advantage in this number. Miss May Treat played the piano accompaniment for Mrs. Moore's song and

for all of the vocal numbers of the evening.

A piano solo "Walter's Prize Song" from Wagner's "Die Meistersinger" was played with exquisite expression by Miss Bessie Wilcox and her artistic rendition of the selection was received with hearty applause.

Rubenstein's beautiful song, "The Nightingale and the Rose" was especially adapted to Miss Elizabeth Abbott's rich melodious voice and she sang especially well last evening.

Miss Marie Paulson pleased her audience with her brilliantly executed piano solo, "Sonnet de Petrarca" by Liszt and Oscar Halverson played "A Madrigal" by Simonetti, his violin solo being one of the gems of the evening. Mr. Halverson played with feeling and a rich quality of tone. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Ada Pound.

The literary numbers on the program were excellent and included a well written paper on "What is Romanticism?"—The Early and Later Romanticists by Mrs. Mary Stever and current events in the musical world, cleverly selected and entertainingly told by Mrs. E. O. Kimberley. The next meeting of the society will be Tuesday evening, December 31.

## NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM LINE CITY

Closing of Sam Kneller's Store on the Bridge, a Surprise in Business Circles.—Beloit Notes.

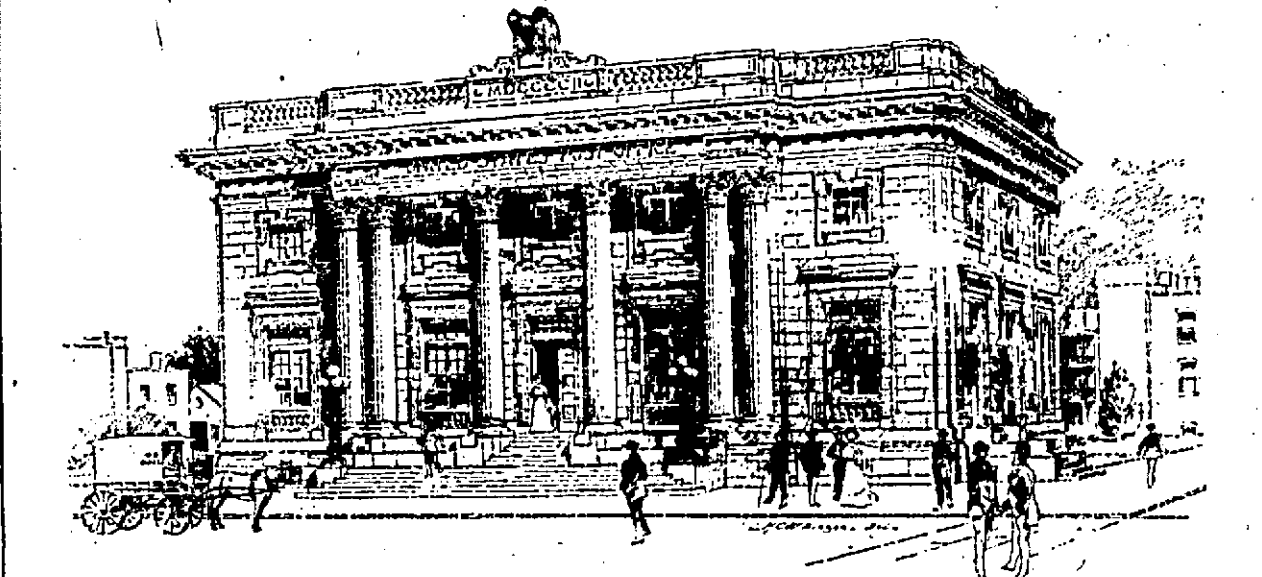
Beloit, Wis., Dec. 18.—There was a surprise in business circles today Sam Kneller's store on West Bridge street, was closed and Mr. Kneller had applied for the appointment of a receiver. Mr. Kneller also owned a large store in Monroe and was counted to be wealthy and prosperous. The Beloit store was opened a few weeks ago and was conducted by Mr. Samuel, his agent. The store seemed to be doing a large business.

It is learned at Monroe that Mr. Kneller today made application for a receiver, and the business was placed in charge of J. B. Treat of Monroe. The invoice of the stock of the Monroe store is being taken today.

The common council passed an ordinance at the meeting last night bonding the city for the necessary money to buy the library site. Another or-

## WORK ON NEW POSTOFFICE WILL START NEXT SPRING

Representative H. A. Cooper, of the First District, Writes Postmaster O. F. Nowlan Concerning the Matter.



The prospects are that next spring will see the construction of the new post office under way. There is every indication that work will be commenced as soon as spring opens up so that excavations for the foundations can be made. There has been considerable delay in getting the work started but Postmaster Nowlan has assurances that the matter will be looked after at once.

The following letter from Congressman Cooper received by Postmaster Nowlan, shows how far the plans

and letting the contract for its construction has progressed:

"By the way, since reaching Washington, I have twice called at the treasury department concerning the Janesville federal building. The first time they told me that they hoped to have it on the market within twenty days. At the second interview I was informed that they hoped to advertise for bids in a considerably lesser time. In any event, I am sure that the contracts for the construction of the building will be let in the very

near future. A picture of the building now hangs on the wall of the office of the supervising architect. It will be, I think, a model structure.

"Very truly yours,

"H. A. COOPER."

This will be good news to the people of this city who have been anxious to have the work started and the buildings erected. The buildings on the site for the new office have been all cleared away so that there will be no delay on that account when the contractor starts in on his work.

## SHOWS A CURIOUS OLD FILIPINO GUN

Curious Home-Made Pistol Captured by George Clark, on Exhibition at Grand Hotel.

George Clark has on exhibition at the Grand Hotel, a pistol he captured from the natives in the island of Negros, while a member of the 6th U. S. Regulars. The pistol shows that the Filipinos are a very ingenious race and take advantage of everything to get shooting irons.

The gun is a very crude affair, the stock being cut out of a piece of maple with a knife. The barrel is a piece of iron tubing reinforced at the breech and smooth bored. The end of the barrel rests against the maple breech, for it is a breech loader, and is held down to its place in the stock by an iron ring which slides back and forth. The firing piece is an ordinary ten penny wire nail which runs through a hole in the maple stock. The hammer is a flat steel spring, which is drawn back and catches on a notched piece of iron.

When the native tries to shoot he presses down on the iron catch instead of pulling the trigger, this releases the spring which drives the nail against the cap, causing a discharge. The whole machine is extremely primitive, but when they happen to hit a soldier at close range with one of them it generally puts him out.

The bullets are made of pieces of three-eighths inch iron bolts hammered down to a point on one end and do terrible execution if they happen to hit. According to Mr. Clark the United States government has most of the good rifles and pistols that were in possession of the natives, and they are driven to make all sorts of shifts to get fire arms. The United States soldiers would much rather fight a body of natives armed with firearms than a lot armed with the bolo, or Philippine knife. The riflemen never take sight and always shoot high, but the knife men are fanatics and will keep coming on until they are all killed trying to get a chance to use their knives.

Mr. Clark, who has a rifle that is as crude in its manufacture as the pistol and one would think a person crazy if they tried to use it. Mr. Clark values his relics very highly and had a hard time bringing them home as the government confiscates all shooting irons captured by the soldiers.

Georgia Sheriff Killed.

Sheriff Stephen F. Edwards was killed on a train just over the Florida border while taking a negro prisoner from Quincy, Fla., to Coffee county, Ala. Another negro attempted to rescue the prisoner. Edwards shot him, but the negro grappled with the sheriff, fired four shots into his body, dragged him to the door of the coach, and both fell off the moving train. The train was stopped and both were found dead near the track.

finance was introduced providing for the maintenance of the library according to the stipulations imposed by Mr. Carnegie.

Wednesday is the second sale day of the Beloit Horse Sale association, and from present prospects it will be a much bigger success than the first one. More horses and more buyers are promised and sales are expected to reach big proportions.

The members of the Junior class, which published the biennial "Codex" enjoyed a banquet at the Nelson house in Rockford Tuesday night in observance of their triumph in issuing a superb book.

Barney Ryan, an employee of the electric road, attached himself to a cart hanging in front of A. Kneller's store on South State street this afternoon and now languishes in the city jail.

The memorial volume to the late Prof. Joseph Emerson is ready for circulation and is a fine volume.

## PRETTY SCHEME TO ADVERTISE ST. LOUIS

Slips Sent Out to Commercial Travelers To Sign on the Hotel Registers.

Commercial travelers, and incidentally, hotel registers, have been pressed into service as a valuable advertising medium for the World's Fair at St. Louis in 1903. Several local traveling men have received a package of long narrow slips, the first half of which is blank with the second half bearing the inscription "World's Fair, St. Louis, 1903."

The slips are accompanied by a request to the knights of the grip to write their name and address on the slips at some leisure moment and then paste a slip in the hotel register instead of writing his name in the book. The back of the slip is already mutilated so that the slips are ready for instant use when filled out. If the commercial travelers respond to the request at all generally the slips on the hotel registers all over the country will doubtless prove quite a valuable advertising scheme. At least it is a novel departure from ordinary methods.

Mascons Elect Officers

At a meeting of the Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M. the following officers were elected: W. M., L. M. Nelson; S. W. L. S. Dudley; J. V. E. H. Winney; treas., Jas Shearer; secy, F. H. Baack; trustee for 3 years, A. C. Thorpe.

Union labor leaders testified at Chicago to Alexander Sullivan's good reputation in his trial for conspiracy.

Directors of the National Bank of Illinois at Chicago sued for \$172,253 by creditors.

Turkish menace to Tunisian frontier may cause more trouble with France.

Hanson was head waitress at the Goodwin.

The wedding of J. D. Brownell of the Badger Coal company of this city and Miss Mae Hallett of Evanston, Ill., will be solemnized this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Fish, cousins of the bride, at their home in Evanston. The wedding will be a society event.

There is still no trace of William Cody. There is very little doubt in the minds of his family but that he has fallen into the river and will not be found until spring.

A move is on foot among the horsemen to have a speeding track on the ice near the gas house this winter. A number of horsemen were up there yesterday trying the ice and having a few preliminary brushes.

The Century Heart club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Dennis Hayes at her home on South Jackson street. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in playing hearts and enjoying the refreshments. Mrs. W. H. Brazell secured first prize. Mrs. J. Crowley, second; and the consolation went to Mrs. Dennis Morrissey.

## LIST OF LETTERS

Remainder uncalled for in the Janesville, Wis., postoffice, for the week ending December 14, 1901:

**LADIES.**  
Borick, Myriam  
Cona, Marie Mrs. (2)  
Gundersen, Tilda Mrs.  
Hoy, Clara Mrs.  
House, F. A. Mrs.  
Lelock, E. M. Miss  
Roberts, Charles Mrs.  
Spence, Emma Miss  
Thompson, May Miss  
**GENTLEMEN.**  
Abba, M. C.  
Batter, James  
Belling, Barney  
Cody, E. H.  
Crowley, Joe H.  
Hogue, J. Warner  
Hendrickson, M. A.  
Morton, Wade L.  
Mason, Geo.  
Miller, Herma  
Peterson, Ebbe  
Southworth, Harry F.  
Stack, J. T.  
Smith, E.  
Taylor, J. N.  
Younger, Ralph (2)  
Bates, Lucy Mrs.  
Emerson, Mary Miss  
Hoey, Clara Mrs.  
Jones, Geo. Mrs.  
O'Clair, Anna Miss  
Rice, F. L. Miss  
Thompson, May Miss  
Bots, Clarence O.  
Baker, F. H.  
Berket, Charles  
Chapman, E. E.  
Fiddle, H. V.  
Hayward, E. P.  
McCauley, Geo. H. Dr.  
Mabel, Adam  
Murphy, James  
Noyes, Paul H.  
Richmond, Ralph  
Schuler, Geo. E.  
Stefferson, Joe  
Teylor, Peter  
Vermyla, Lawrence E.

Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say "advertised," naming the date.

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## Tonight

If your liver is out of order, causing Biliousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of

## Hood's Pills

On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been a experience of others; it will be yours. HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

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## Blankets and Comforts

They certainly make substantial presents. We show Blankets in white, grey, red with pretty borders, also beautiful flowered blankets with border for robes. \$2 buys a large size, pure cotton filled comfort, home made and they are selling fast.

## Furs

From our great stock one can select any style of Furs. Fur Scarfs, immense line, \$2 to \$25. Electric, Near-seal, Krimmer and Astrachan Jackets at 25, 28, 35, 45, 50, 60 and 70 dollars. Capes, of Nearseal, Electric Seal, Astrachan, Beaver, for trimmed lined cloth capes, 16 to 90 dollars.

Fur Sets, for women, misses: children, very useful gifts, and appreciated by any miss or child

## Winter Garments

We are making extra low prices on every garment in our stock to stimulate Christmas cloak selling. We have been receiving new things right up to Dec. 10th and our stock is in excellent condition.

## Silk waists,

## Wool waists

Twenty dozen new waists. Opened last week. All sizes, all colors, all prices, open in front or back. You can do the best here

## Handkerchiefs

It is difficult to detail such an enormous stock as we show. Think of over 2000 dozen handkerchiefs, over 24,000. Ours for women or men at 3c will surprise you. Rare values at 5c. All linen at 10c, 12 1/2, 15c, 20c, 25c. Any price up to fine Duchess Lace handkerchiefs at \$8. We can handkerchief you

## Mufflers

of these we show many pretto styles in both silk and wool, plain and fancy

## Christmas Hints.

## Wool waistings

27 inch, of these we show momie weave with silk cord all colors, fancy cream striped effects, rare black and white striped novelties, etc., at 75c. Beautiful French Flannels, at 72c. Plain French Flannels, all colors, and cream, 60c. Cream Flannels, cords and serges, now so popular.

## Oriental Rugs

\$5 00 to \$100.00—Genuine Oriental Creations. Khevas. Persians, Daghestans, Cashmeres, etc. \$3000 stock of them,

## Curtains

Heavy portiers in Roman stripe, Bagdad, Moorish, Brocattelle Tepestry, Velour Chenille, \$2 to \$20.

## Couch Covers

Finest lot we have ever shown, raw silk striped covers at \$1.25 and \$2.00. Oriental covers and many styles in American made covers up to \$8. For Dens and Cozy Corners, Drapes, Table Covers, Pillow Tops, Small Pieces, Officer's Swords in leather scabbards, yard goods in Japanese designs, etc. A world of interesting things not to be seen elsewhere.

## Bag Tops, all sizes and shapes

Metal Purses, a great collection.

Hair Ornaments, nothing missing.

Needle Cases, most useful gifts 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Fans, dainty ones, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, etc.

Hosiery, silk \$1.00, \$1.50. Lovely Openwork Lisle at 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, plain black, and colored stripes

Initial Handkerchiefs, narrow hems, 15c and 25 cts. Best in town for the money.

Embroidered Muslin Collars fine and pretty at 25c

## Kid Gloves

glace or suede (undressed), reliable gloves at 96c and \$1 42, black and all colors. Put up in pretty individual boxes at \$1 and \$1.50.

## Mocha Gloves and Mittens

Adlers make, \$1.50. Men's Gloves, dressed, great values, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50. Men's Mocha, Adlers made, silk lined, \$2.

## Infants first Shoes

Sizes 1, 2, 3, button or lace, white, pink, blue, brown, red, tan, 50c

## Bedroom Slippers

Knit, lambswool soles, 4, 5, 6, 7, beauties, \$1.15. Bootees, all colors extra, nice, 25c.

Black silk, 1, 1.25, 1.50, \$2, etc.

## THE GALATEA AND CREW SAFE

The Missing Barge Found  
After Three Days and  
Towed to Chicago.

COVERED WITH THICK ICE

Drifts on the Lake at the Mercy of the  
Wind and Waves—Captain Germain  
Tells Experience of Himself and  
Men.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—The barge Galatea, which has been drifting about Lake Michigan since Saturday night at the mercy of wind and waves, was found yesterday by the steamer Santa Maria, which had been dispatched in search of the vessel, and towed into Chicago river last night. It was picked up thirty-five miles off Racine. Ice a foot thick covered the sides of the Galatea and the deckload of lumber, and the crew of seven men told of experiences with winter weather which fall to the lot of but few lake sailors. All on board had escaped serious injury in spite of their exposure, but several had been frostbitten while facing the freezing winds with the thermometer below zero.

**Captain's Story of Trip.**  
The Santa Maria and the Galatea reached port at 10 o'clock. The barge was tied up for the night at the end of the north pier and Captain Germain had his first chance to tell of his experiences.

"When we broke adrift from the steamer S. S. Wilhelm at 5:30 o'clock on Saturday evening," he said, "the fog was so thick we could see nothing. We had not seen the steamer but twice since leaving Manitowish, where we loaded, and we had no way of notifying its crew of our plight."

"We drifted before the northwest wind all night and Sunday the breeze went to the westward and this made matters worse. We were then in the middle of the lake and every hour we were being driven farther toward the east shore, which sailors dread in winter. I knew there was poor anchorage there, and that should the west wind hold and increase we were likely to go ashore."

**Hoists Flag as Signal.**  
"Sunday night the wind shifted to the south, and with what little sail we could get I tried to get back to the west shore again, but could not make much way. Knowing that searching parties were out after us, I hoisted a big flag to the masthead."

"We had a good stock of provisions and managed to keep warm, but the exposure on deck was severe. McManus and I were both frostbitten, and it was dangerous walking over the decks on account of the ice."

"It was a big relief when the Santa Maria hove in sight this morning. We came out of the experience fortunately and when we met a fishing tug off Racine this afternoon I sent a telegram to my wife at West Bay City to let her know of our rescue."

**Mariner's Close Reckoning.**  
The finding of the barge ended a search which had been prosecuted for three days. The Hines Lumber company, which owns the barge and its cargo of 800,000 feet of high grade lumber, had two steamers and four tugs hunting the waters of the lake that the boat and crew might be rescued.

The successful end of the cruise of the Santa Maria was due to the skillful reckoning on the part of Captain Walter D. Hamilton, marine superintendent of the Hines Lumber company, who planned its course. The Galatea was found within five miles of the spot where he had calculated it must have drifted.

**Bottle Combine Is Sought.**

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 18.—Efforts are being made to combine all the flint bottle manufacturers of the country. J. G. M. Porter of Chicago is the promoter of the scheme and the expectation is that by March or April next the combine under the name of the Continental Glass Company, with \$30,000,000 capital, will be completed. If the combine should fail the intention of the manufacturers is to establish a selling agency as a preliminary step to a combine later on. A meeting was held last week to discuss details and another has been called for the near future. The Pittsburg Seamless Bottle Company and H. J. Heinz & Co. have refused to join the combine.

**Charged with Abducting His Child.**

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 18.—Several weeks ago John N. Watts was arrested here on a warrant from Springfield, Ill., charging him with the abduction of his five-year-old daughter, Katherine. Watts had obtained a divorce from his wife some time previous, but the latter had been allowed to retain possession of her child. Extradition proceedings were instituted against Watts and have been pending ever since. The case came into court in the morning for a final hearing, but as the defense presented evidence to show that both parents are making overtures with a view to living together again the magistrate decided to reserve judgment.

**Crowded Ferry Boats Collide.**

New York, Dec. 18.—Crowded to their rails with men and women passengers, two ferryboats of the Pennsylvania railroad came together at the entrance to the Desbrosses street slip at 5:30 o'clock last night. They were

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ADDRESS DR. BREWER AND SON, 1234 CHICAGO AVE., EVANSTON ILL.

Dr. Brewer will be at the Park, Hotel Janesville, Thursday, Dec. 19.

At Broadhead, Friday, Dec. 20.

the Princeton and the Hudson City of the Desbrosses street line. Two men were badly bruised. A score women who had fainted from fright were attended by an ambulance surgeon. The passengers were landed and the Hudson City was sent to Hoboken for repairs.

**Radiator Explodes on Flying Train.**

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 18.—The blowing up of a steam radiator on a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train, which left here for Chicago at 1:45 in the afternoon, caused a panic in the coach. Richard Knowles of this city, was slightly injured by escaping steam and a piece of the radiator which struck him. The train was running at the rate of about fifty miles an hour when, just beyond Western Union Junction, there was a terrible explosion and pieces of iron sailed through the air.

**Sells Polk's Old Papers.**

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 18.—Considerable stir has been caused in Nashville regarding the recent sale by Mrs. J. H. Fall of the set of private papers of her stepfather, President James K. Polk, to the Chicago Historical society for \$3,500. This collection is the most valuable in America, which deals with the president's career and gives a true insight into his character. It includes his diaries, showing his personal impression of various members of his cabinet.

**Chicago Market Report.**

Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 80½¢@82¢; No. 3 red, 77½¢@81½¢; No. 2 hard winter, 76½¢@77½¢; No. 3 hard, 75¢@77¢. Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 75½¢@76½¢; No. 2 northern, 75½¢@77¢; No. 3 spring, 72½¢@76¢. Corn—No. 3, 63¼¢@64¼¢; No. 3 yellow, 64¼¢@66¢. Oats—No. 1 white, 45½¢@47¢; No. 2 white, 43¢@47½¢; No. 3 white, 42¢@48½¢; No. 2, 40½¢; No. 2 white, 48¢@48½¢.

**Linseed Trust in Big Suit.**

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Claiming that \$500,000 or more is due from the National Linseed Oil company under an agreement by which its property was sold to the American Linseed company in 1898, the latter concern asked the United States circuit court here to demand an accounting of its predecessor.

**Government Protects Pecan Trees.**

Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 18.—Fifteen farmers are under arrest at Checotah, Indian Territory, because they cut down pecan trees to build rail and picket fences. The government protects pecan trees in the Indian country.

**Kritzingler Wounded and a Prisoner.**

London, Dec. 18.—The following dispatch from Lord General Kitchener was received at the war office: "General French reports that Commandant Kritzingler has been captured. He is severely wounded."

**Many Cattle Perish.**

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 18.—Cattlemen from the western part of the territory report that none of them were prepared for the storm, and that many cattle have died on the open ranges for want of feed and shelter. Another week of cold weather will cause a loss of 50 per cent.

**Sugar Ten Points Lower.**

New York, Dec. 18.—Arbuckle Bros. and the National Sugar Refining Company have reduced the price of refined sugar 10 points.



# \$7 Per Set of Six Dining Room Chairs

From the Sheboygan Chair Co., we have purchased a special line of Dining Room Chairs, which we offer this week at \$7.00 per set of six. These chairs are oak finish and are well made, in the latest style. Call early. Goods reserved for delivery on Christmas eve.

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## MARCONI'S TRIUMPH.

There are many men in the world who have conceived great ideas which would benefit mankind, and though their abilities may be the same, their methods can be and generally are as divergent as possible.

Men with brilliant minds and great imaginations are apt to publish to the world what they intend to do; to be sure they must actually accomplish some practical results in order to be noticed at all by the world, but the great things are always those exploits, they are about to accomplish rather than what they have accomplished.

Then again, the man with a scientific analytical mind coupled with untiring energy and everlasting courage, rarely tells of what he expects to do, but allows others to talk about what he has done; and it is to the latter class we are most indebted for the wonderful discoveries scientists have made.

Many physicists had performed the same experiments of Roentgen with the X-ray; many naturalists had thought on the subject of evolution before Darwin, and too many electricians had sent wireless messages before Marconi; but they all lacked some one element necessary to give them world-wide fame.

It takes a Tesla to electrify the public with wonderfully made and intricately constructed mechanisms, faultless in their workings and sound in theory, but it takes an Edison to add to the sum total of human knowledge by adding to the world's wealth. The only difference being that one talks before and the other after he has accomplished something.

Tesla earned \$5,000 per month illustrating before World's Fair crowds, Edison sells his lamp for \$5,000,000. As early as the 50's experiments were made with wireless telegraphy, messages were sent an often the inventor began a lecture tour, telling us what they intended doing. Marconi has actually sent and received wireless messages across the Atlantic Ocean, a distance of 1,700 miles, and then proceeds to develop and perfect his apparatus for more wonderful feats.

To be sure this quiet little man owes much to investigators who have previously experimented on the same thing, and we must not neglect to give them their reward, but it is the something in this man's nature, his untiring energy, his analytical mind, or his wonderful attainments in science, that have brought success of such enduring nature to his work.

To those who have devoted a lifetime in perfecting a system whereby it is possible to send six messages on the same wire at the same time, or to equip trains with telephones which can be used while the train is in motion, as was recently demonstrated on the C. & N. W. Ry., it must be rather discouraging to see this wonderful little man take from their inventions the possibility of great commercial success by an invention which does not require the tremendous expense of miles of wire and thousands of poles.

It is only a case of many men laboring and one greater than the rest entering into the fruits of their labors; and yet there is no injustice done; it simply calls to our attention the fact that Marconi has summed up in himself all that other co-laborers knew and did and then he has taken one step in advance of their conclusions so as to receive his reward, so as not to belittle any other man. His reward is that Marconi and wireless telegraphy are as imperishably linked together as Darwin and Evolution or Roentgen and the X-Ray.

## COLOR IN HAWAII.

There is one place in the United States where the black, white, yellow and brown can sit down to the same table without causing a tremendous eruption of public opinion.

Social conditions in Hawaii are the most peculiar of anywhere in the United States, in fact, the native is prouder in proportion as his skin is darker, and the first issue of the "Blue Book" a short time ago disclosed the fact that the social four hundred were made up of Americans, Hawaiians, Chinese and negroes.

The most able attorney and most prominent politician is a negro, whose color gives him wonderful influence over the natives. There are nearly a hundred Chinese who are rated at anywhere from \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000, and who have corresponding influence socially.

The wife of Delegate to Congress Wilcox, a full blooded Hawaiian, claims distinction as the queen of the social realm of the island, and she has quite as much influence, politically, as her husband who owes his success to her influence with his party.

Descendants of old missionaries make up a large percentage of the resident whites, and they mix freely with all colors and races; in fact, color seems to be the same qua non of social and political power, and favor. Intermarriages of the races is so common as to quite obliterate racial prejudices, and it is next to impossible to judge of a man's race by his color.

In this respect, Hawaii has taken

a step in advance of her adopted mother, where, although all nationalities are mingled in social cordiality, yet the color of a man's epidermis may bar him from the privilege of eating and sleeping under the same roof with people of different hue.

## THE PHILIPPINE DECISION.

The decision of the supreme court in the "Fourteen Diamond Rings" case, has placed the Philippines in the same status as Porto Rico, that is, the islands are considered not foreign territory, and imports can be made free of duty until congress shall vote such a tariff.

This ruling seems just, even though its effects may be detrimental to trade in this country. When we purchased the islands they ceased to be Spanish, the treaty making power, the executive and legislative power concur in the results. Congress has the power to change the status of these two lands, as it did in the case of Porto Rico, and home manufacturers may have some rights which congress will feel bound to consider; but until such action is taken the decision of the court must stand unassailable.

Railroad Hill has resigned the presidency of his system. He don't propose to pay the lobby necessary to head off the legislatures of those northern states.

The Turks can feel thankful to Abdul for one thing—he has forbidden the circulation of American comic papers in his domain.

South American countries are thinking of requiring a license of those who intend starting revolutions. It certainly would be remunerative.

Kentucky has not yet organized a bar association—a surprise to most people.

Senator Platt claims he only slipped when thrown down by the president.

## BRIEF BITS OF WISDOM.

A girl is never too young to form opinions of her own sex—or to express them.—The Destiny of Doris.

Women love good men—but are interested in men whose goodness is more or less impaired.—The Man From Glenary.

Captain Gibson could talk when his turn came, just his most endearing accomplishment was listening.—A Light House Village.

If silence is golden, a discreet silence is away above rubies.—Life on the Stage.

Most men are inventive enough in the matter of personal judgment.—Papa Bouchard.

The Wall Street manipulator must be a great artist in mendacity and at the same time have the superb self confidence of the grizzly.—Wall Street Stories.

An example should not be too far above our heads.—Lassie.

Laugh, brother in affliction, laugh. The best way to get on with a misery is to laugh at it if you can.—Deafness and Cheerfulness.

Love is clairvoyant and most men know that their wives wish to believe and gratify them accordingly.—Papa Bouchard.

While a misfit occupation is bad, a misfit marriage is as near to clear misery as you can get on this side of the grave.—Captain Blunt.

## Bob Preached Reform But Practiced It Not.

When the editor of the Tomah Herald reads over his exchanges and sees every one of them publishing articles about that special train that carried La Follette up and down the state during his campaign, he is swelled up within himself. For it was he who first called attention to the fact that Bob was getting into the good graces of the corporations and forgetting his "reforms." The editor was then a common slave on one of the metropolitan dailies and it was part of his duty to visit Chairman Bryant and other notables every day. One morning the chairman said that Bob would travel on a special train. Not long before Mr. La Follette had moved his Milwaukee headquarters from the Plankton House to the Hotel Pfister.

The reporter began to wonder if Bob was not getting pretty close to the corporations for a genuine reformer. Mr. Bryant later made the statement that the train cost the committee only \$55 per day. Reasoning that railroads never give anything for nothing and that \$55 a day was nothing for a special train, the reporter published his astonishment that such things should be. He interviewed several railroad officials and theatrical managers and asked the cost of a special train per day and was told that it would amount to about \$250. The publication of the findings was copied all over the state and now the governor's friends are trying to explain it. John Strange said he made the bargain. Well, if the people of Wisconsin think that railroad managers let John Strange get the best of them to the tune of \$200 a day, we differ with the people of Wisconsin. Then again, it shows that the anti-pass law was a good thing to preach but wasn't worth practicing. If it is right to pay \$55 a day for a special train worth \$250, why isn't it just as right to pay nothing for it? The governor's friends are mighty poor reformers.—Tomah Herald.

## Germ Theory Covers Everything.

Some one has discovered that sunstroke is only the work of a microbe of peculiar shape and kind. It only remains now to find the germ which causes people to freeze to death in winter time. The germ which invades the physical anatomy that has been struck by lightning and the bacillus that plays havoc with persons who are run over by railroad trains can be hunted up and identified later.

## SPEAKS A GOOD WORD FOR COOPER

Washington, Dec. 18.—In his correspondence today to the Philadelphia Ledger, Major John M. Carson, who for twenty-five years has represented that journal at the capital, sends this interesting report of the Philippine problem of civil government which confronts the insular committee of the house, of which Representative Cooper of Wisconsin is chairman.

"Mr. Cooper finds in the utterances of President Roosevelt ideas in regard to the welfare and progress of the people in the dependencies that command more hearty and unrestrained support, and he is putting more good, hard work into the bill. Being a fine lawyer and a man of broad and statesmanlike character, his ideas as to the government of the islands, if they impress themselves on the legislation of this congress, will no doubt secure to the Philippines opportunities and rights which they have been slow to expect would ever be accorded them.

"Mr. Cooper was a caller today at the White house and had an interview with the president on the legislation under consideration for the islands. It will be the program to hold back the bills under preparation until Governor Taft arrives here and the committee can have the benefit of his advice. The general scope of the proposed house legislation on the Philippines will correspond to the Porto Rico bill which Mr. Cooper introduced in the last congress. That measure went far beyond the Foraker act in the liberality with which it dealt with the personal and political rights of the citizens of the island, and it may be expected that as far as it is possible at this time, Mr. Cooper's forthcoming Philippine bill will lay foundations for broader political rights than the policy of the administration under President McKinley has at any time contemplated."

## SUICIDE SEVERED HIS JUGULAR VEIN

Aaron Beringer of Waukesha, Kills Himself on the Eve of Going to an Asylum.

Waukesha, Dec. 18.—Aaron Beringer, aged 38 years, committed suicide at 8:30 yesterday at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. W. K. Rowe. Beringer was insane, and had frequently made threats against his life. He was examined Monday afternoon in the county court before Judge Griswold and was pronounced insane by Drs. Hodgson and Jacob.

Beringer took a bread knife and drew it across his throat, severing his jugular vein, and the carotid artery. He then opened the door and proceeded along the sidewalk to the barn. There he took hold of a carriage wheel for support and finally becoming very weak from loss of blood, fell to the floor, where he was found a few minutes later in a dying condition by Dr. U. B. Jacob.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

Wisconsin people registered at the local hotels today:

Hotel Myers  
George K. Dow, G. M. Bates, E. D. Stanton, L. W. Bowman, John Stoneberg, H. F. Hasler, C. L. Easton, B. M. Stewart, Milwaukee; J. M. Brown, H. M. Tresler, C. B. Weston, M. L. Dunn, G. W. McAdams, Madison; F. B. Boyler, Darlington; C. L. Williams, Whitewater; J. J. Williams, Monroe.

Grand  
A. C. Helen, H. M. Taton, U. C. Blake, W. H. Lynch, J. W. McCabe, E. W. Schuchert, H. M. Vaughn, A. W. Willis, Philip Ettenheim, Milwaukee; E. S. Babcock, H. G. Rindler, Rufus B. Smith, H. W. Althouse, Madison; D. A. Lewis, Baraboo; P. O. Helde, Prairie du Chien.

Park  
W. Vlekerman, Milton; E. Vernon, Portage; Miles Rice, Milton; Fred Egerton, George L. Carr, Beloit; Robt. Merton, Johnston; John Hurd and wife, Indian Ford; H. E. Gates and wife, Miss Harvey, Beloit; J. H. Knowles, Fond du Lac; F. H. Sheppard, Johnson's Creek; C. J. Hanson, Milwaukee; R. H. Sprattler, Beloit; J. A. Nelson, Milwaukee; B. H. Wells and wife, Milton.

Venetian Funeral Customs.  
At Venice when any one dies it is the custom to fix a placard before the dead person's house, as well as in adjacent streets, as a sort of public notice, stating his name, age, place of birth, and the illness from which he died, affirming also that he received the holy sacraments, died a good Christian, and requesting the prayers of the faithful.

Loubet Is Well Protected.  
President Loubet is well protected. His secret guard consists of twelve men, under the orders of a police commissioner. When he receives they mingle with the guests close by him, and when he goes out they follow him and have orders never to lose him an instant from view.

Mrs. Ada Dennis Is Dying.  
Washington, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Ada Dennis, the victim of a mysterious assault is dying. The doctors say the end is near. The police have practically given up all hope of trying to unravel the mystery.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.  
(BY ROBERT W. LEE, Chicago, Dec. 18, 1901.)

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## YOUR WANTS

Can Be Made Known Through The Gazette Want Column. 5 Lines 3 Times For 25c.

The following letters await owner in the first counting room "B," "X," "H," "Q" W and "A" H W.

WANTED—A good kitchen girl at Hotel Myers. Apply at once.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Wheelock, 103 East street.

WANTED—Intelligent boy of some education to learn the drug business. Fair salary to a good boy. Address D. X. Janesville Gazette.

WANTED—Men to cut cord wood at one dollar per cord. Inquire at Taylor farm on Milton avenue.

WANTED—Solemen; \$5 monthly General Nursery Company, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Young girl about 14 years of age, who may attend school. Inquire of Mrs. Mulville, 211 S. Main street.

FOR RENT.  
FOR RENT—One-half of Buckle Factory building, suitable for tobacco or manufacturing purposes. Free. Windmill, Adm'r.

FOR RENT—A seven-room house in good condition. Well and eastern water. Enquire at 202 Locust street.

FOR SALE.  
FOR SALE—Sugar cane feed, \$8 per ton. Best cow and horse feed on Fatfinger place, River road. A. A. Munger.

A YOUNG man wants light, inside work of some sort. Terms very reasonable. Is not much acquainted. (J. C. 114 N. Academy St.)

WANTED—Good competent girl for general housework. Inquire at Lowell's hardware store, grocery department.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good condition. Will sell cheap. Apply No. 2 North First street.

FOR SALE—Lot 15 block 1, Smith's subdivision, at a bargain, for cash or in exchange for Chicago property by owner. Walter Nichols, 321 East Second avenue, Chicago.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Parlor cabinet as good as new. Inquire Gustafson, office.

FOR SALE—A genuine buffalo overcoat in good condition. Reasonable. Cheap. Apply at 150 Terrace street.

MISCELLANEOUS  
LOST—Black leather purse, containing money, papers, keys, etc., between Sinclair St. and Court Street church. Finder return it to Gazette office and receive reward.

LOST—Brown leather purse, somewhere on Main or East Milwaukee street, containing money, stamps and paper with owner's name. Finder please return to Gazette and receive reward.

LOST—A black lap robe, between Linn and Cherry streets. Finder please return to Wm. Hemming & Son.

A Bright Feature As A Xmas Present.  
If you could do something to better the condition of a human being you would be happy of course. It is so easy to do this very thing. If your son or daughter or young relative is ambitious give them a start in the world, make their future an assured thing, buy them a scholarship in the Janesville Business College for Christmas.

Think of what this does for them—short hand, type writing, bookkeeping and commercial courses thoroughly learned. Gives the graduate a leverage on the future that will be a light to the one who helped them to it and to the recipient.

JANESVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE  
A letter received by M. H. Soverhill from Chicago this morning contained the sad news that there is no hope of recovery for Will W. Porter, who suffered a severe stroke of apoplexy in that city on last Friday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
Rock County  
NATIONAL BANK

At Janesville, in the State of Wisconsin, at the close of business Dec. 10, 1901.

RESOURCES  
Loans and Discounts.....\$ 578,218.82  
Overdrafts secured and unsecured..... 178,731.31  
U. S. bonds to secure circulation..... 25,000.00  
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits..... 50,000.00  
Stock, securities, etc..... 40,852.90  
Due from state banks and bankers..... 4,758.85  
Due from approved reserve agents..... 45,187.89  
Internal Revenue Stamps..... 55.75  
Checks and other cash items..... 5,125.29  
Notes of other national banks..... 3,731.00  
Nickels and cents..... 267.67

Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:  
Specie..... 24,800.00  
Legal tender notes..... 10,000.00—45,800.00  
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)..... 1,250.00

Total.....\$699,334.47

LIABILITIES  
Capital stock paid in.....\$100,000.00  
Surplus fund..... 30,000.00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid..... 17,040.11  
National bank notes outstanding..... 3,827.50  
Individual deposits, subject to check.....\$237,988.86  
Demand certificates of..... 69,800.00  
Deposit..... 50,000.00—457,016.86  
United States Deposits..... 50,000.00—457,016.86

Total.....\$699,334.47

STATE OF WISCONSIN,  
County of Rock,

I, A. P. Burnham, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. P. BURNHAM,  
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Dec., 1901, SILAS HAYNER, Notary Public for Wisconsin.

Correct—attest—C. S. JACKMAN,  
B. B. ELDREDGE,  
C. W. JACKMAN,  
Directors.

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Our Perfumes are the Best  
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## RIDER'S RACKET STORE.

Toys and Christmas Gifts  
Largest Assortment  
Lowest Prices

Dolls, Books, Games, Drums, Pictures, Toy pianos, Doll beds, Doll Buggies, Rocking Chairs, Iron Toys, Cups & Saucers, Toy watches, Fancy Goods, China Novelties, Doll Furniture

Childrens chairs, and rockers and a store full of other toys as well as a large number of useful things in the kitchen or house.

163 W. Milwaukee Street.

Many People  
Are daily speaking a good word for our butter. Our wagon passes your home every day. If don't phone us.

SHURTLEFF & Co.  
Both Phones, 184.

Candies  
At Small Cost

All this week all flavors of our taffies 10c lb. Turkish candy 20c lb. Fine candies in fancy boxes from 15c to \$.150.

ALLIE RAZOOK.  
South Main St. Phone 639

HOWLAND & CO.,  
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Stocks and Bonds bought and sold for cash, or carried on margin. Special attention given to copper stocks. Interest allowed on deposits. Send for circular and telegraphic code. Customers can wire orders and instructions at our expense.

Christmas Tree Candies  
5c lb.

Just the kind for the children. Taffies and many other makes 10c lb. Bitter sweet chocolates 30c lb. Nuts and fruits of all kinds.

BONAHON & BACCASH.  
HAYES BLOCK.

THE VALUE OF A  
TELEPHONE.

is in the number of people it reaches with whom you wish to talk. The Rock Co. Telephone Co. has 800 subscribers in Janesville—twice as many as any other company—and connects with nearly 500 telephones in Beloit. And the number of independent, or New phones with which it connects in this and neighboring counties, greatly exceeds that of other telephones.

A few illustrations:

Independent Bell	Phones	Bell	Phones
Monroe	315	28	
Broadhead	195	1	
Evansville	182	1	
Clinton	182	10	
Sharon	53	1	
Darien	67	1	
Delavan	177	14	



## The News From County Towns.

### MILTON.

The Gazette Agency, W. W. Clarke, Manager.  
Milton, Dec. 17.—The judges at the oratorical contest Saturday evening, who were Supt. Buell of Janesville, Prof. Humphrey of Whitewater, and Principal Hamilton, awarded the first prize—\$10—to Miss E. O. Townsend, and the second—\$5—to R. W. Clarke. The attendance was not as large as it should have been.

Vincent & Hassenger shipped five cars of hogs last week. There was a break in prices of both hogs and provisions and at the close of the week \$5.50 was an outside price.

The three "ts" man, Town Treasurer Tracy, will be ready to receive the contents of that old stocking of yours on and after Tuesday, Dec. 17, except on Wednesdays and Saturdays, when he will be at Milton Junction. It's as easy to escape the King of Terrors, as taxes.

M. T. Howard of Rice Lake, was in town Friday.

Rev. J. H. Anderson visited his brother, J. C. Anderson, Friday. He and his wife will sail for China next month in company with Dr. Rosa Palmberg.

E. D. Van Horn went to Chicago to preach for the Seventh-Day Baptist church, last Saturday.

The long needed rain came Thursday and not only replenished empty cisterns, but also brought tobacco in case so that it can be stripped.

Andy Masterson says "itosevett times" beat McKinley times" when you can get a sack of flour for a bushel of potatoes.

Mrs. Lizzie Hopper McCulloch, of Clear Lake, Iowa, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. McCulloch.

H. Jackson went to Monticello today to enjoy a three days' visit with his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. Summers.

"Klm" Coon, postal clerk on the Chicago and Elroy run, visited Milton relatives Saturday.

Miss Lucy Walker is in town this week.

Rev. T. W. North preached at the Seventh Day Baptist church Saturday morning. Rev. Dr. Platts being on the sick list.

John A. Burdick of Albert Lea, Minn., has been in town this week.

Miss Gelsa Wooley, who has been spending several months in North Dakota, returned Monday.

Sixteen below zero Saturday morning and eighteen Sunday rather put the nose of our fine winter out of joint.

### BRODHEAD

Brodhead, December 16.—Mrs. M. H. Williams left Wednesday morning on a visit to friends in Delavan and Elkhorn.

Mrs. J. W. Blackford of Albany was the guest of Mrs. Amanda Bamore on Wednesday.

Mr. M. Manning of Clymore, Wis., brother-in-law of Mrs. John Smith with his daughter Loretta, came to Brodhead on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. F. Smith. They left for home Thursday.

Miss Martha Magson of Monticello returned home this morning after a few days' visit with the families of Messrs. F. A. Cooley and Charles Gilbert.

Mr. Frank Fitzpatrick, of Waterloo, Wis., was in the city a few days this week, called here by the death and burial of Mrs. F. Smith. Mr. Fitzpatrick is the father of Mrs. John Smith of this city.

Miss Belle Gosling who has been in Melton, Wis., for a year past, came home last Thursday evening called here by the sickness of her mother. She looks well and reports herself as feeling much better than formerly. Her many friends are pleased to welcome her back. She will remain some weeks or until her mother is much better.

Mrs. Wm. Roantrree and daughter Miss Jessie of Monroe, have been visiting old friends in Brodhead and returned home on Saturday evening.

Mr. R. M. Spencer, representative of the Illinois Sewing Machine Co., of Illinois, was in the city Thursday and has established an agency in this city with O. J. Barr.

Samuel Bal of Sylvester, came down to Brodhead Monday morning to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. Sutherland, Mr. S. R. Stephens of Juda accompanied him to spend the day with Mr. George West and other old friends.

Mr. Fred White, Sr., of Brownstown, came down to Brodhead last Thursday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. C. Olin at was too late, as the services were held in the morning. He staid over until Monday visiting old acquaintances.

### EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, December 16.—We are fully aware of the fact that winter is again in our midst.

Rev. Jos. Herbert and wife returned last Wednesday from their visit to Buffalo.

Messrs. Dean and Kollans made another trip to Chicago last Friday with two loads of live stock.

Little May Davidson was badly burned while playing in the fire on Sunday morning.

A number from this vicinity attended a progressive domino party given by the Misses Mary and Annie Rye at Johnston.

There will be Christmas exercises in connection with the tree Tuesday evening of next week. All are invited to attend.

The fair given by the Ladies Auxiliary last Friday evening was very successful considering the inclemency of the weather. Over \$60 for taken in for supports and articles sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boynton and daughter are visiting Mr. Boynton's sister Mrs. Bowler in Morris, Ill. Miss Nettie Boynton is attending to household affairs in their absence.

Miss Blanche Morley is visiting her friend Mrs. Jay Chubbuck.

Mrs. Betsy Butler of Janesville was visiting relatives in this neighborhood the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Gentle visited her daughter Mrs. D. E. Jones a portion of last week.

### EAST CENTER.

East Center, Dec. 16.—Mrs. George W. Browne thinks surprise parties are really the order of the day, for last Friday afternoon about twelve of her old friends and neighbors came in to remind her that it was her fiftieth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Browne was not expecting such a surprise, but welcomed them all in her genial, sunny way. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the only daughter and many of the guests were not present. Many useful and beautiful gifts were left for Mrs. Browne, also a Morris reclining chair, the gift of Mr. Brown and the children. A bountiful supper was served and all retired to their homes, wishing Mrs. Browne many more happy birthdays.

C. S. Cleland made a business trip to his farm Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crall and children spent Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown.

Charles Brown has a badly swollen ear, the work of Jack Frost.

Quite a number of the farmers have taken all their tobacco down and are ready to begin stripping.

Ralph Blandale sawed wood for Pat Tracy Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Lyons is attending school in Janesville.

### MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, Dec. 17.—Stella, the thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mapes died at the Feeble Minded school at Chippewa Falls Dec. 12. Her remains were brought home and funeral services were conducted in the Methodist church by Rev. Miller, pastor of the M. E. church.

Mr. John Horan has sold his farm to August Woodstock and will sell his stock and farm implements next Wednesday.

School in district No. 3 has closed for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Acheson spent Saturday and Sunday in Footville.

Russ Thompson of Brooklyn spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his brother who has been an invalid for several years and is now failing fast.

Corn shredding is now over and the buzz saw has come to take its place.

Mr. Floyd Cain has returned home from a two weeks' visit with friends in South Dakota.

Archie Mapes, who has been working in Chicago the past three months has returned home for the winter.

William Finane has finished his new barn and also had the misfortune to lose his best horse last week.

### CLINTON.

Clinton, Dec. 16.—The social function of the season occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Treat, who entertained their many friends at a six o'clock dinner.

The menu was elaborate, and sociability was at its height, more so, perhaps, on account of having braved the severe rain storm to enjoy the hospitality of our esteemed townspeople.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hanson returned home from Oklahoma last Wednesday after a three weeks' visit with their son.

Miss Flossie Moore started Tuesday for Mexico, meeting Mr. Olin's family enroute. She expects to remain there a year.

Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Inman, Mrs. Pangborn, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Olin, and the Misses Margaret and Edith Moore attended the oratorio of the "Messiah" in Beloit Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Colver entertained a number of family friends to tea Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. De Jencas and Mr. V. C. Tuttle and wife.

Mr. C. Randall of Janesville, visited at his cousin's, Mr. Drake, last week.

Rev. F. N. Dexter spent one night with friends last week.

Rev. T. J. Parsons was in Lodi over Sunday.

The concert Friday was a fine entertainment.

The M. E. society will hold a bazaar in Woodard's hall Saturday, Dec. 21.

The pink-eye is troubling residents in the township south.

Messdames Wyman, Bush and Wheeler came up ednesday from Beloit.

Mr. Welston and family will soon be settled in their fine new home.

The case of Corwin Smith vs. the C. & N. W. Ry. Co. has been settled. A Christmas Cantata will be rendered at the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

### ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, Dec. 16.—Gert Roach, who has spent the past two years at Rock River, started Monday for his home in Jackson Center, Ohio.

E. D. Vincent, Harry Swader, Harry Green and Crandall Bros., finished stripping their tobacco this week.

Hattie Ashley, who is staying at Dr. Hull's spent Saturday at home.

Jennie Rose's school in the Merrifield district, closed today.

There were no church services here last week as E. D. VanHorn was in Chicago.

### LEYDEN.

Leyden, Dec. 16.—Mr. O. W. Donkle, our enterprising grocer, transacted business in Janesville Saturday.

Little Edna Barrett is expected home by Xmas.

Mr. Harry DeJean has been making his usual trip through here this week.

Miss Della Keely is spending the holidays at home.

Miss Grace ay spent the last week with Willowdale friends and relatives.

Mr. Pliny Tolles Sundayed here.

Stripping tobacco is the order of the day.

Miss Mame Kealy is working in Brooklyn.

RuRul Route No. 1, starting from Leyden, will begin, Jan. 1. Bert Heffernan will be the carrier.

### EVANSVILLE

Evansville Dec. 16.—A presentation of a scene from Shakespeare, "The Tempest", was given by the members of the Shakespeare Club at their last meeting.

Fred Libby, formerly of Evansville, has a fine position as pensioner examiner in Portland, Ore. He passed through this city recently, accompanied by his wife, on his way home from Washington, D. C., where he has been employed for some years to his new home in the west.

Burr Libby of the Enterprise was unfortunate enough to have two fingers crushed while operating a printing press.

Mrs. Charles Doolittle, of Waukegan, Ill., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Austin.

Miss Beth Palmer of Janesville spent last week in the city the guest of Miss Bess Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Story have gone to Pittsville, Wood county to make their home.

Mr. Thomas Rylatt celebrated his 80th birthday on December 3rd at the home of his son, A. G. Rylatt. About twenty relatives and friends assembled in honor of the occasion.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Day (nee Ala Smith) in Decatur, Ala., on December 4th 1901.

Mr. Reed, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Chapel, and his grand-daughter, Addie Chapel, leave soon for Fullerton, Cal., to spend the winter.

A boy came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wagner on Dec. 5, 1901.

The M. A. Foresters will give a social party in the opera house December 19. Leaver's orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. Rose Van Wart entertained the Woman's Foreign Missionary society at their quarterly tea on Thursday last.

The funeral of Mrs. Lewis was held in the Methodist church on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. A. Eager transacted business in Shoplere on Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Hamilton of Chicago is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Holloway in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crouch of Monroe visited relatives in the city last week.

Mr. Dwight Reed has been ill for the past week. His father, Mr. F. D. Reed of Footville, Wis., is visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Dixon were elected to the highest offices in the Order of Eastern Star at their last meeting. Installation will occur December 22.

The W. R. C. ladies will hold a fair December 20 and 21 in the Snashall lock, east of the Evansville bank.

### LA PRAIRIE.

La Prairie, Dec. 16.—Up-to-date thermometers said 18 below zero on Sunday morning.

On Monday evening, Dec. 22, there will be a Christmas tree and exercises at the hall. Come and bring your presents and let the children see Santa Claus. He will remember them all. Exercises begin at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sherman and family have been spending a week in Chicago.

T. A. Red shipped a carload of fine steers last week.

Recent rains brought a large number of crops of tobacco into cage.

### LIMA.

Lima, Dec. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Hake returned from California Sunday. Just in time to enjoy the bracing 15 below zero weather.

The U. H. ladies have changed the date for their fair from Dec. 18 to Saturday evening, Dec. 21, on account of the entertainment in Holbrook's hall on the evening of the 18th.

Those people who are so turkey hungry might better raise a few than go out in the night after those of their neighbors. They may get something besides turkeys in case they are caught.

Oliver Wheeler of Beloit was a visitor at Dr. Stetson's last Thursday.

Mrs. McComb and children spent part of last week at Six Corners.

Emil Frank has a new piano. I was purchased of Janesville parties.

Mrs. A. G. Truman is a guest of her Lima relatives.

### NORTH JOHNSTOWN.

North Johnston, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Hobbs and daughter, Katie, of Kosaukonong, were at the home of Mrs. Hobbs' son, Edward, Tuesday. Miss Hobbs remained for a few days' stay.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held with Mrs. H. R. Osborn Thursday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Sperry has gone to Magolia and will remain several days.

The committee of arrangements for the Christmas exercises will meet at the church Saturday afternoon.

Grandma Longfield had the misfortune to slip and fall Thursday morning and injured her side. She is feeling some better.

David Gray has gone to Ft. Atkinson for a few days.

The thermometer took a drop of thirty degrees in a few hours Thursday night and indicated fourteen below zero Saturday morning and eighteen Sunday morning, which was felt very keenly after the pleasant weather we have enjoyed all the fall.

G. E. Osborn shipped two of his pure bred Poland China pigs to Portage Friday.

"Children love Mrs. Austin's Wheat Food, because it tastes good, better than oatmeal and easily prepared. Ask your grocer for it."

Will Open Evenings.  
Commencing with Wednesday night, December 18, the city dry goods stores will be open evenings until Christmas.

"A cup full of Mrs. Austin's Wheat Food makes breakfast for seven persons, hence is more economical than any similar preparation."

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## Beauty is Health.

Walnut Lake, Ark., June 3, 1900.  
I thank you for the benefit I received from your advice and the Wine of Cardui I took in my terrible condition. My life was no pleasure to me at all and I was of no use to anybody. After receiving your advice and medicine I commenced taking it and began immediately to improve. The pains left me and the menses, which came at the correct time, continued three days. I have gained strength and my weight has increased. My husband says the medicine has made me better looking than ever before.  
Mrs. LIZZIE MANNELL.

Womanly health means bright eyes, rosy cheeks, clear complexion and elasticity of form. This is the youth unmeasured by years—the beauty of perfect womanhood. Beautiful women are happier and get more out of life than their sisters whose faces indicate suffering. Wine of Cardui made Mrs. Mannell "better looking" and infinitely happier because it cured her of those terrible pains. But she is no exception.

## WINE OF CARDUI

Is giving thousands of women health, beauty and freedom from the dragging pains which made their lives so miserable. Wan faces, haggard eyes and emaciated forms are the results of suffering. What suffering can compare with the torture of irregular menstruation, leucorrhoea and falling of the womb! Beauty lies quickly before the ravages of such disease. The sharp pains of falling of the womb deepen the crow tracks in the face. Menstrual irregularities rob the eye of its fire and the complexion of its transparency. Leucorrhoea drains the body of its strength, but Wine of Cardui restores the natural beauty, brightens the eye, clears the complexion, rounds out the figure and brings back the vigor of health. Every druggist in this city handles \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chas. A. M. Valentine Company, Chas. A. M. Valentine, Tenn.

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They overcome Weakness, Irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists.

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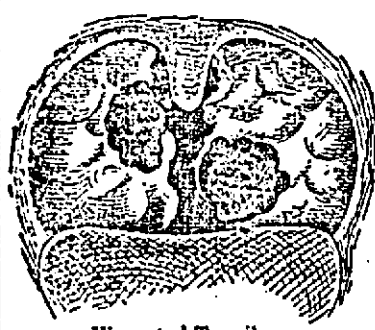


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Kills the Streptococcus, the germ which infests the stomach, causing Dyspepsia.

Also heals the stomach, made raw and ulcerated by swallowing the poison catarrh virus. Cures all germ or microbe diseases. Has cured more than a million people. It is 100 years ahead of the medical profession. Don't fail to try it.

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## BOSTON STORE SOUTH RIVER ST.

TO A. M. VALENTINE—Janesville—Rock County—Wisconsin.

You are notified that the undersigned, Fred Hessehauser, of the City of Janesville, County of Rock and State of Wisconsin, on the 15th day of December, 1900, while on the premises owned and occupied by you and described as lot number one (1) in block number twenty-six (26) of the original plat of the village (now city) of Janesville, at your invitation, received and suffered severe personal injuries, to-wit: a rupture or hernia on the left side, also such injuries as to cause atrophy or shrinking of the muscles on the left side of the back and other manifestations of disease, and other injuries.

That such injuries were received by the breaking through and falling into a cesspool or catch basin situated on the west side of the dwelling house on said premises, the cover to which catch basin or cesspool was so negligently constructed and was, through your fault and negligence, in such want of repair and so decayed as to render the same unsafe, unsound, insufficient and dangerous.

That by reason of the said injuries the undersigned has suffered great pain in body and mind and has been disabled from attending to his business and has incurred pecuniary loss thereby and has incurred expense for medical treatment in all to his damage, in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$15,000.00), and that as the said injuries were caused by your negligence as aforesaid, satisfaction thereof is claimed of you. Dated October 21, 1901.

FRED HESSEHAUSER.  
The original notice is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

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COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Bolding deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of court made and said matter by the County Court of Rock County, on the 5th day of Nov. A. D. 1901, the undersigned, J. F. Nowlan, as administrator, will, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1901, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in front of the Post Office, at the City of Janesville, in Rock County and State of Wisconsin, offer for sale, at public



PROCLAMATION TO THE FILIPINOS

Advice and Support Offered to the Rebels by the Catholic Archbishop.

The following is a curious proclamation issued to the Filipinos by Archbishop Bernardino, dated at Manila, P. I., on May 8, 1898. It is an original document found in the city of Manila by George Clark who brought it to this city:

To the Loyal People:—The unfortunate day of our country has arrived, my loved sons, when the North American fleet dominated our beautiful bay and in spite of the heroism of our sailors, in a very few moments destroyed our battleships and nailed on the square, blessed son of our country, the enemy's flag. You don't ignore who he is, neither who he pretends to be. He, who with such raucousness, and running down our rights, tries to impose upon us. He is the stranger who wishes to press us down with his power. He is the heretic, who wants to take away from us our religion and force out from our maternal hearts the Catholic church. He is the insatiable trader, who with the ruin of Spain and with his own possessions, wants to secure his fortune.

Poor Spain, if the invader gets what he intends, poor Philippines! In the day the North American here established a permanent government! Poor Indians suppressed by a people which hasn't got the same faith as Spain, neither maternal entrails or illustrious noblemen, or community of interest and of history, since three centuries ago, or the mixture of the blood that circulates in the veins of many and which the freely have been sparing in over a hundred heroic feats for their mutual defense, matched in only one instance, the sons of Metropolis and of Cologne.

Very soon you will see, how they will throw up an intrenchment amongst you and your proud masters. There will be no more offices for you, neither employment or participation in the government and administration of the towns. Later you will form a civil state separately, they will vilify you as pariahs, they will reduce you to the condition of day laborers, and even to beasts and machines, they will feed you with a handful of rice or corn, which as daily ration will be thrown in your face by your proud masters as to not deprive himself of the products of your perspiration while he like a prince enjoys the benefits of a property, which is ours, not his; ah! this is not all neither the worst; but you will soon see your church in ruins or converted into a Protestant chapel without a throne.

Oh! my God, the deed of the eucharist, there will be no more image of your Saint Mary, our dearest mother, the cross of our churchyards will disappear, so will the crucifix from our schools, the ministers of the true God, who made us Christians in the baptism, who so many times held us back from sin, united us in the marriage, which they administered, consoled and assisted in the last hour of our life and applied after our death the aid of the church. Perhaps you will be before continue in your hearts to be Catholics with all your confidence and heroic bravery, or perhaps better still; who knows?

But what will become of our generation, our sons? They will certainly in absence of their parents become protestants, as the legislation, cult, instructions and habits, all are protestant; moreover there is a free exhibition and propagation of bad habits and errors. Oh! It is possible that within half a century in the whole country there will be no more practice of or faith in the religion, there may be nobody who troubles himself in making the sign. Poor Philippines, disgraced in this life and in the eternal.

By fortune, dear Philippine people, at the sound of enemies' guns, and at the word of command of its rulers, you have known all the dangers, in view as a man alone, then prepare yourself to the defence, and as a heart alone then send to heaven thy fervent prayers, this certainly is the unique resource of salvation; to the arms and to the oration all unanimously; to the arms because the Spanish people, though exterminated when aggrieved in patriotism in defending its religion, is capable of the greatest exploits. To the oration because it is God who gives the victory, though to the victorious, and to whom the justice is in favor. Not only the oration, not only the struggle; but jointly the military courage and virtue of God and his angels and saints with us and if it is who is in opposition to us?

And in order that the oration may become more general, more concant and more efficacious, it has appeared to us as an inspiration from the heaven or a thought to consecrate all the Philippine archipelago to the Holy heart of Jesus, and offer Him, in order that we may become free, from the present anguish, an exceptionally devout and hushed veneration, the day the church celebrates that festivity, Friday, hard by to the octave of Corpus Christi, day, 17th, of next June, and if not possible then another day, which is more convenient.

For that and a part of the deprived consecration which we have already done on the first Friday of this month, when offering to God in the saint mass of the holy Carpo Jesus-Christi, we work not only in our name of the Military Governor, who, also a very fervent Christian, is not a looser president in patrician and vigorous military chief, hope from God, and since now offer to God the triumphs by meditation of the defiled heart; and interpreting also the desires of the crowd of the population of this island, that in all places is very devoted to him; and calling on the intersection of all the saint patrons of theirs and principally the supreme Queen of all, the Virgin Santissima Del Rosario. In the rooted hopes to solemnize very soon this consecration and offer, at present privated, we give to all, loved sons, our blessings, in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

FR. BERNARDINO, Archbishop.  
Manila, P. I., May 8th, 1898.

The SPORTING WORLD

Going to Henley.

C. S. Titus, the New York oarsman, who will represent the United States, intends leaving these shores in May in order to have ample time in which to become acclimated. Subscriptions are now being received at the Union Boat Club, New York, for the purpose of meeting the expenses of the trip. Titus has rowed for the Union Boat club for about two years, and his fellow members are enthusiastic in the belief that he will capture the coveted Diamond Sculls, the emblem of international single shell supremacy, for which all oarsmen have feelings somewhat akin to reverence.

Titus is unquestionably the amateur sculling champion of the United States. He won the race for singles at the national regatta on the Schuylkill river last summer, qualifying for a contest with Ten Eyck to decide the premiership. The latter, however, had decided to go into business and resigned from active participation in rowing affairs.

The race for the Diamond Sculls will take place June 10, 1902. Titus will be accompanied by his wife, who is his only mentor when he is getting in shape for a contest. The champion will have a boat built by W. W. Rudwick of Boston, who has promised him the best shell ever turned out of his shop.

Titus weighs 154 pounds; his rowing weight is 147. During the winter he will indulge in light training, walking ten miles daily among hills, playing golf and taking a Sunday spin of half a dozen miles on the Harlem when the weather is favorable.

The Modern Race Horse.

Sir Walter Gilbey, one of the foremost English authorities on horse breeding, says some hard things about the twentieth century thoroughbred and the present day system of racing. In his recently published book on horse breeding in England and India he gives it as his opinion that "the modern race horse is a machine constructed for no other purpose than to win races, which do not afford proper tests of the qualities wanted in horses. In a word, our English thoroughbred may be defined as a racing and gambling machine, pure and simple. It is no longer suitable for cavalry mounts, being too light and leggy."

International Athletics.

R. S. Patterson of the Dwight school of New York is to go to England soon in the interest of a movement to bring a team of English schoolboy athletes to this country next spring.

A wealthy New Yorker who wishes to remain unknown has offered to pay the total expenses of thirty of the best athletes in the English preparatory schools to come here in June. He hopes to have them meet the interscholastic champions from all over the United States in a dual meet such as Yale and Oxford might have.

Boom in Winter Athletics.

Track and field athletes throughout the country will have lots of competitors this winter. Following the athletic carnival at the Philadelphia sportsman's show there are others scheduled in New York, Boston and Chicago. While, in addition, there will be the regular winter games of the Knickerbocker A. C., New York, and the Boston A. A.

A Coming Champion.

Mike Murphy, Yale's famous trainer, states that he thinks Moulton will be the star sprinter of the coming season. He began as a novice last spring and ended up the season by winning the 100 yards and 220 yards at the Yale fall games, the latter in 21 4-5 seconds.

Tom Jenkins' Ambition.

Tom Jenkins, the wrestler, threatens to engage in boxing and try for the heavyweight championship. Truly it would be a sad day for Thomas if he got into the ring with a competent middleweight!

O'Connor's Misfortune.

O'Connor, the great Irish jumper, left these shores without once giving us a taste of his real quality. This was due to a sprained tendon which he got in his first practice after landing here.

The Horse World.

Zellex, the dam of Dan Patch, 2:04 1/2, will be bred to Joe Patchen again next spring.

Dulce Cor. by Baron Wilkes, should be prominent in the show classes next year, as she trotted a mile in 2:11 this fall.

Dialine, 2:10 1/2, by Diablo, 2:00 1/2, the sensational Oregon pacing mare, is out of Dione, by Secretary, son of Director, 2:17.



A COMMON TROUBLE.

Thousands Suffer From It Without Knowing Its Real Character.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think their nerves are to blame are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspepsia often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others, the kidneys are affected; in others, the bowels are troubled, with loss of flesh and appetite, with the accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper, No. 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes gave temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed this to my sedentary habits, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual facts."

Respectfully yours,  
A. W. Sharper,  
61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind.

It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of the stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, palpitation, heartburn, constipation and headaches.

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents.

Once Sat in That Chair.

Queen Anne was once surrounded by a host of gayly dressed courtiers, and in the throng was an old man of 83, wearing the plain dress of a country farmer. "Have you ever seen such a sight before?" asked a looker-on, and the throng was started to hear the old man say, "Never since I sat in her chair!" It was Cromwell's son Richard, who went into retirement on the restoration of King Charles II.

Excavations in Judea.

The Palestine exploration fund has been for the last two years carrying on excavations in western Judea. Remains extending in time over fifteen centuries have been unearthed. We have here two well defined pre-Israelite periods, and also the Jewish Seleucid and Roman periods.

YOUR FAITH will be as strong as Shiloh's Consumption Cure and ours is so strong we guarantee a cure or refund money, and we send you free trial bottle if you write for it. SHILOH'S costs 25 cents and will cure Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and all Lung Troubles. Will cure a cough or cold in a day, and thus prevent serious results. It has been doing these things for 60 years. S. C. Wells & Co., Inc., New York.

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## GRAND NET WORK OF ELECTRIC ROADS

Wisconsin One of the First States to  
Take Up the New Motive  
Power.

Few people outside of those directly interested are aware of the extent to which electricity is used in this state as a means of inter-urban transportation. Wisconsin was one of the first states to take up this new motive power and apply it to inter-urban transportation problems, and it bids fair to assume the position of leader in this new application of electrical power in the west.

There are today ninety-one miles of inter-urban roads in the state operated by electricity. In addition to this there are 155 miles projected, which will be constructed next year. Then scores of miles more are contemplated. All of this is in the southern portion of the state. To make inter-urban roads return dividends a populous country is necessary. Little towns or hamlets scattered along at short intervals connecting with the larger cities is the first thing that the promoters of electric lines look for. With that as a foundation they feel sure that in time the dividends will be commensurate with the financial outlay.

The northern part of the state has thus far heard little of electrical roads save in the large cities. But that part of the state is settling up rapidly and it is only a few years when electric roads will begin to spread out in every direction in that section as well as in the southern and older settled portion of the state.

**New Road is Planned.**  
Over in the central portion of the state a new line will be built next season, which will connect Madison with Janesville, touching the cities in between. This is one of the most populous portions of the state, and the line is certain to become one of the most valuable properties of its kind. While the present plans of those back of the road do not contemplate any further extensions, it is reasonable to suppose that this or another company will push out in the direction of Beloit only ten miles away. Very soon after the main line is completed. This would bring it to the state line, where it would be easy to connect with an interurban line extending up through Harvard and other cities from Chicago.

All this goes to show that within the next three or four years all the southern portion of Wisconsin will be gridironed with the new system of transportation, giving the people of the cross-roads and isolated sections prompt and easy communication with their home markets.

**Boon for the Farmers.**  
This is what the promoters are aiming at. Looking ahead, they see the time coming when the farm products of the lighter kind will be transported to market by electric cars stopping at every farmstead for their load, and thus saving the farmer the cost and time of slow transportation with team. All of the lines projected have secured their own right of way, which will permit them to use their cars for transporting freight as well as passengers.

Those who are giving the most attention to these problems say that it is only a matter of a few years, or possibly months, when the lines which during the day are used for passenger traffic will after midnight transport the farm produce to market, delivering it there fresh every morning for the consumer, saving the farmer and the gardener the long ride now necessary and consequent loss of time. Nor will the passenger service be eliminated when the sun goes down or the clocks strike midnight. A man connected with one of the various lines now under way said recently in discussing the new transportation that inside of three years sleeping cars would be run on the electrical lines.

With the coming of the electrical lines will come, say those who are posted, an era of cheap transportation. Lines now in use are liberally patronized, though thus far the cost of transportation has not been materially reduced, but the ability to get back and forth every hour and at times every half hour leads many to patronize the electric lines exclusively, especially when time is no particular object. Still it is asserted that the lines now building will cut down the present running time, so as to compete more on even terms with the steam roads. If this can be done and the fares reduced, there is no reason why the bulk of the local traffic should not be carried by the electric lines.

**Meets Public Demand.**  
Even as it is, the ability to drop off right at one's door instead of riding miles beyond and then returning by horse power is a very attractive proposition for those living within easy distance of the line. It is a perfectly safe proposition that within five years there will be a continuous electric line from Green Bay to Chicago, and possibly the northern terminal may be many miles above Green Bay. From this main line will radiate short line feeders reaching out into the populous sections within easy reach. While electric inter-urban roads are in their infancy in Wisconsin, they are growing rapidly, with the promise of a bright future, and every body is proud of the lead which this state is taking in this as well as other matters.

**The Swiss Teach Democracy.**  
The Swiss girl is taught to be humble and practical from the moment when, at the age of 4, she enters the infants' school, until at 18, when she returns finished from pension. There is absolutely no difference between the treatment of the masses and the classes. They sit together at school, are taught the same subjects by the same masters, receive the same punishment and the same praise.

**Density of Population Compared.**  
Norway's population is the smallest in Europe compared with her area. Each of her inhabitants could have 40 acres of land, while the Briton would have to be content with less than an acre.

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are  
Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire.

Flour—Retail at \$1.10 per sack.  
Wheat—Spring \$2.67; winter \$1.70.  
Barley—\$1.25 per cwt.  
Buckwheat—\$1.25 per cwt.  
Rye—\$1.25 per cwt.  
Corn—\$1.00 per bushel.  
Soybeans—\$1.00 per bushel.  
Clover seed—\$1.00 per bushel.  
Timothy seed—\$1.00 per bushel.  
Feeds—\$1.00 per ton.  
Hemp—\$1.00 per ton.  
Middlings—\$1.00 per ton.  
Meal—\$1.00 per ton.  
Hay—\$1.00 per ton.  
Wool—\$1.00 per pound.  
Butter—\$1.00 per pound.  
Eggs—\$1.00 per dozen.  
Poultry—\$1.00 per pound.  
Turkeys—\$1.00 per pound.  
Lard—\$1.00 per pound.  
Tallow—\$1.00 per pound.  
Candles—\$1.00 per pound.  
Soap—\$1.00 per pound.  
Sugar—\$1.00 per pound.  
Coffee—\$1.00 per pound.  
Tea—\$1.00 per pound.  
Spices—\$1.00 per pound.  
Fruit—\$1.00 per pound.  
Vegetables—\$1.00 per pound.  
Flowers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Furs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Hides—\$1.00 per pound.  
Bones—\$1.00 per pound.  
Horns—\$1.00 per pound.  
Hooves—\$1.00 per pound.  
Claws—\$1.00 per pound.  
Tails—\$1.00 per pound.  
Ears—\$1.00 per pound.  
Nails—\$1.00 per pound.  
Skins—\$1.00 per pound.  
Leathers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Fishes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Shellfish—\$1.00 per pound.  
Insects—\$1.00 per pound.  
Mammals—\$1.00 per pound.  
Birds—\$1.00 per pound.  
Reptiles—\$1.00 per pound.  
Amphibians—\$1.00 per pound.  
Marine life—\$1.00 per pound.  
Fossils—\$1.00 per pound.  
Minerals—\$1.00 per pound.  
Gemstones—\$1.00 per pound.  
Metals—\$1.00 per pound.  
Alloys—\$1.00 per pound.  
Composites—\$1.00 per pound.  
Plastics—\$1.00 per pound.  
Rubbers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Glasses—\$1.00 per pound.  
Ceramics—\$1.00 per pound.  
Textiles—\$1.00 per pound.  
Paper—\$1.00 per pound.  
Ink—\$1.00 per pound.  
Paints—\$1.00 per pound.  
Varnishes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Adhesives—\$1.00 per pound.  
Solvents—\$1.00 per pound.  
Disinfectants—\$1.00 per pound.  
Antiseptics—\$1.00 per pound.  
Anesthetics—\$1.00 per pound.  
Drugs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Medicines—\$1.00 per pound.  
Surgical instruments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Dental instruments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Optical instruments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Astronomical instruments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Geographical instruments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Chronometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Barometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Thermometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Anemometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Hygrometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Spectrometers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Microscopes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Telescopes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Binoculars—\$1.00 per pound.  
Periscopes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Compasses—\$1.00 per pound.  
Altimeters—\$1.00 per pound.  
Barographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Thermographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Anemographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Hygromographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Spectrographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Microphotographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Teletypes—\$1.00 per pound.  
Telegrams—\$1.00 per pound.  
Radiograms—\$1.00 per pound.  
Photograms—\$1.00 per pound.  
Cinematograms—\$1.00 per pound.  
Lithographs—\$1.00 per pound.  
Engravings—\$1.00 per pound.  
Prints—\$1.00 per pound.  
Drawings—\$1.00 per pound.  
Sketches—\$1.00 per pound.  
Paintings—\$1.00 per pound.  
Sculptures—\$1.00 per pound.  
Statues—\$1.00 per pound.  
Monuments—\$1.00 per pound.  
Gravestones—\$1.00 per pound.  
Fountains—\$1.00 per pound.  
Gardens—\$1.00 per pound.  
Parks—\$1.00 per pound.  
Plazas—\$1.00 per pound.  
Streets—\$1.00 per pound.  
Avenues—\$1.00 per pound.  
Highways—\$1.00 per pound.  
Bridges—\$1.00 per pound.  
Tunnels—\$1.00 per pound.  
Docks—\$1.00 per pound.  
Wharves—\$1.00 per pound.  
Piers—\$1.00 per pound.  
Harbors—\$1.00 per pound.  
Ports—\$1.00 per pound.  
Canals—\$1.00 per pound.  
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**British "Conscience Money."**  
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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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**A Room for Pictures.**  
The best background for pictures is plain terra cotta or brown paper. A woman who is the proud possessor of many old prints and engravings has them in her dining room. The walls are covered with wrapping paper, or something that looks very like it, and above is a frieze of orange distemper. The picture rails and woodwork are white. The hangings are of orange-colored velvet. All the furniture is mahogany.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

**President Roosevelt's Horses.**  
President Roosevelt's new horses, Admiral and General, weigh together 2,350 pounds. The coachman and footmen wear red, white and blue cockades which was the badge worn by Jeffersonian Republicans until 1798.

**Wrinkles Come**  
To many a face which should still be smooth and fair. Worry doesn't bring them. There are no cares and anxieties to furrow the face. They are the signs of physical suffering, graven by the hand of Pain. It is the saddest result of the diseases which affect the womanly organs that they write plainly the sad record of suffering on the face and form. The skin becomes sallow, the cheeks are sunken, the eyes look dull, the body falls away. No woman who values her health or good looks should neglect to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for diseases of the womanly organs. It cures irregularity, inflammation, ulceration and female weakness. It lights up the eye, brightens the complexion, and rounds out the sunken curves of the body.

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## POETIC MR. BOWSER

HE TRIES TO WRITE A \$500 PRIZE POEM FOR A MAGAZINE.

His Efforts Fail to Meet With the Approval of Mrs. Bowser, but the Old Man Keeps at It Until Grim Despair Overcomes Him.

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MR. BOWSER'S face wore a rather anxious look as he reached home the other evening, and Mrs. Bowser was wondering if business had gone wrong when he asked:

"Is any one coming in this evening that you know of?"

"No, no one," she replied.

"I'm glad of that. I've got a little matter on hand and want you to help me. I'll explain all about it after dinner."

When dinner was over and they returned to the sitting room, he produced a magazine and pointed to a page and said:

"You see here that the Pochontas society advertises a prize of five hun-



"SQUANTEWANTUS HE HANGED!"

dred dollars for the best poem on Pochontas sent in within thirty days. It is to be printed in green and gold and sent out as a souvenir of the fifteenth anniversary of the society."

"Yes, I see."

"There's five hundred dollars to be picked up as easy as rolling off a log, to say nothing of poetic fame. With a little help from you I'm sure I can cooperate the whole thing. I'm a natural poet anyhow, you know."

"How can I help you?" she asked as she felt a sinking of the heart.

"On the rhymes. Two heads are better than one when you want to think of words. Pochontas was an Indian girl, wasn't she?"

"Yes."

"And when her father was going to brain Captain John Smith with a club she stepped in and stayed his hand?"

"I believe so."

"Well, I'll fix that up in short order. Let me get paper and pencil. Now I'll go ahead till I get stuck and then you help me out. What in blazes is that old cat grinning at me for?"

The cat was sitting in the middle of the room with something like a grin on her face as she looked from Bowser to Mrs. Bowser and back, but when he jumped at her she retired under the piano and waited for results. For five minutes the natural poet sat and looked

"Of course I have; but you can't invent a character named Squantewantus to rhyme with Washington. You'll have to drop Squantewantus."

"And you—you, who don't know poetry from peanuts, find fault with my efforts!" cried Mr. Bowser as he rose up. "Woman, your impudence is astounding!"

"I am only saying that there was no Indian chief named Squantewantus," she replied.

"But what has that got to do with me—with my poem?" he shouted. "Is there a goddess of liberty, and yet how many poems have been dedicated to her?"

"But Squantewantus!"

"Squantewantus he hanged! Woman, leave me alone. You have no sympathy with my efforts or ambitions, and I was an idiot for saying anything to you. Get out and leave me to work it out alone, and, by the great horn spoon, if I don't produce something to make all America get up and howl, then my name is not Bowser!"

"You—you won't break anything?" she faltered as she rose up to go.

"How break anything?"

"A suspender—a blood vessel—any bones?"

He was looking around for a crowbar to strike her dead when she passed quietly up stairs, and the cat came out of retirement and put it down in her notebook that the performance was not yet half over. For ten minutes after being left alone Mr. Bowser walked up and down to recover from his perturbation, and when he had somewhat recovered himself he sat down to his subject again. It was hard to pick up the thread again, but he finally got another verse and smiled blandly as he read it over:

"The moon it was bright  
And the candles alight  
As John Smith he was led out to die;  
His grief none can tell  
As he took a farewell  
And wiped a sad tear from his eye."

But after a minute the smile faded. Mr. Bowser remembered that Captain Smith didn't weep when he was led out. Miss Pochontas would never have stood up and defied her father for the sake of saving a heebie.

"It won't do—it won't do," he said as he laid the page aside and began over again, and the clock had ticked off half an hour before his next was ready. It read:

"Come forth to die!" the chieftain said  
Unto the captive Smith,  
And in his hand a bludgeon held  
To give him fatal bid.

It wouldn't do. "Biff" sounded too much like prizefighting, like giving Kid McCoy a biff on the jaw. The cat was a sympathetic spectator of Mr. Bowser's efforts to find another word to rhyme, and she uttered a meow to show her feelings, but he didn't even leave a book at her. He sat and thought and thought, and he walked around and scratched his head and thought some more, but things wouldn't come his way. It was easy enough to get us far as—

I sing tonight of the maid  
Who the murderous bludgeon stayed,  
But he couldn't get further on that line. When hours had passed and the town slept, grim despair seized Mr. Bowser's heart. He fought like a man, but it overpowered him at last, and at

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HARMONY.

Harmony, Dec. 17—Rain, snow, cold, the thermometer registered 16 below zero on Sunday morning.

Miss Blinle Stieckler, who has been at home for a few days, has returned to Mr. M. Downing's near Milton.

Mr. W. J. Steckman writes from Pasadena, Cal., that he arrived safely in the land of sunshine and roses.

Willie Crandall and Edle Holtz returned from their Milwaukee trip on Wednesday, but returned to the Cream City on Sunday and on Monday expect to go to work as conductors on the street cars.

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# Don't Spend a Dollar

In either the Shoe or Clothing line, until you inspect our display. For this week we offer you a line of

## \$3.00 Shoes

that others ask more money for. In our Clothing Department our line of fancy neck scarfs, suspenders and neckwear at

## 50 Cts.

should interest and assist you in making your holiday gift.

### AMOS REHBERG & CO.

Shoes & Clothing. Two Complete Dept.



### Well Babies Are Good Babies

MOST LITTLE BABIES DIE, either from bowel troubles or from diseases which they contract because they are in a weak and feeble condition from bowel troubles.

Mothers who are seeking the ideal and proper medicine to give their little ones for constipation, diarrhea, colic and simple fevers will find LAXAKOLA the great family remedy.

It is the best and most effective laxative for children. BEST because it is safe and made entirely of harmless ingredients. BEST because it is non-irritating and never gripes or causes pain or irritation. BEST because it is sure and never fails. BEST because "Children like it and ask for it."

It is a dangerous thing to give little babies violent remedies that rack and rend their little bodies. DON'T DO IT—give them LAXAKOLA.

A few drops can be given with safety to very young babies, and will often relieve colic by expelling the wind and gas that cause it, and it also will check simple fevers, break up colds and clear the coated tongue.

Great relief is experienced when administered to young children suffering from diarrhea, accompanied with white or green evacuations, from the fact that LAXAKOLA neutralizes the acidity of the bowels and carries out the cause of fermentation, aids digestion, relieves restlessness, assists nature and induces sleep.

LAXAKOLA. It is a gentle and safe remedy to use during all conditions of health of the greater sex whenever their peculiar and delicate constitutions require a mild and efficient laxative and tonic, and is invaluable in assisting to relieve colic, gripes or causes pain or irritation. It improves the complexion, brightens the eyes, sharpens the appetite, quickens the circulation, removes mucus and blotched condition of the skin and cures sick headache, a certain remedy for the cure. To women suffering from chronic constipation, headache, biliousness, dizziness, salteriness of the skin and dyspepsia, LAXAKOLA will invariably bring relief and a speedy cure. At drug stores, etc., and send for free sample to THE LAXAKOLA CO., 132 Nassau Street, N. Y., or 356 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

FOR WOMEN.

Trade supplied by King's Pharmacy and People's Drug Store.

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Through first class and Tourist Sleeping Cars to points in California and Oregon every day in the year from Chicago.

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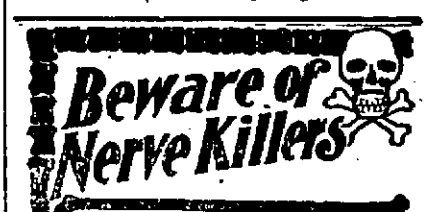
Only route by which you can leave home any day in the week and travel in tourist cars on fast trains all the way. For descriptive pamphlets and full information inquire of nearest agent

Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

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and as white as snow—that has just fallen—that's the way clothes come home from this laundry. They are not torn or worn thin, and are delivered in time. If you are hard to please or if you don't believe that our laundry can do quite satisfactory work, we are all the more ready to see you

RIVERSIDE STEAM LAUNDRY  
C. J. MYHR, Prop.



Nature never produced a man strong enough to resist the awful effects of opiate. Thousands of men who ought to be vigorous and full of energy, are falling into decay through the influence of "dope."

But its evil effects can be cured.

### PALMO TABLETS

are curing men and women who have been wrecked by deadly drugs.

This remedy cures you all through.

It actually and positively makes prematurely old people young and vigorous.

Palmo Tablets destroy that insatiable craving for sleep-producing drugs.

This is certainly the greatest medicine on earth.

50 cents, 12 boxes for \$5.00. Guaranteed.

Write for free book.

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## The Social Glass

If all liquor was as good as our

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there would be no cause for complaint. But since no other liquor is as good as our

genuine. You'll get it sure from.

W. C. HART

East Milwaukee Street. Phone No. 3.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Now is the time to select your Christmas presents, while the assortments are complete. Following are a few of the articles that we carry:

Bissell carpet sweepers, ladies' black undershirts, perfumes, pocket books, cuff buttons, fancy china and glassware, necktie and glove boxes and a great many other articles, which we haven't space to mention.

E. HALL,

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See Why

you save money burning our good clean coal.

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—all coal—that gives its full measure of heat

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To get your money's worth—let us send you a ton of good clean coal.

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JANESVILLE



SITTING ON THE FLOOR WITH HIS BACK TO THE WALL.

up at the ceiling and tapped his teeth with his pencil, and then he bent forward and began:

They had led him out to die—  
A soldier bold;  
And a warble was uplifted,  
As we are told.

"That's the way I lead off, and what do you think of it?" he asked as he handed the sheet over to Mrs. Bowser. "Why, it reads all right," she said after a minute; "but it seems to me that you ought to have got in the name of Pochontas at the very first."

"Yes, maybe I had. I'll try it that way."

There was the deepest kind of silence for the next fifteen minutes, and Mr. Bowser wrote and scratched out and wrote again. Then he leaned back and said:

"I shall have to get your help. I can't go no further than:

"Oh, thou dusky Pochontas,  
From the camp of Squantewantus,  
A soldier's life you saved,  
And a father's anger braved,  
That—that—"

That's where I want help. I've got to work in 'days' or 'ways' or 'plays' or 'stays' to make the rhyme."

"Who was Squantewantus?" asked Mrs. Bowser with a puzzled look on her face.

"He was her father, probably."

"But he was not. This incident is a matter of history, and has been published in all the schoolbooks, and you mustn't make such a break as that."

"Didn't you ever hear that there was such a thing as poetic license?" he demanded as his eyes began to flash.

1 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Bowser crept softly down stairs to find him sitting on the floor with his back to the wall. He was asleep, and his face looked old and pinched, and the cat sat looking at him with sorrow in her heart. On the floor beside him was his last effort. It read:

"With my own hand," the chieftain cried,  
"I'll train this daring fellow;  
With this stout club I'll smash his head,  
And—and—"

"Poor man!" sighed Mrs. Bowser as she put a shawl over his feet and turned down the gas and left him to his slumber and his dreams. M. QUAD.

A Fit Applicant.



Manager—What makes you think you could play a farmer part?

Actor—Well, you see, I'm rather green at the business.—New York Journal.



## HONOR CONFERRED UPON WISCONSIN

Local Republicans Well Pleased with the Appointment of Henry C. Payne as Postmaster-General.

The appointment of Henry C. Payne as a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet has caused a great deal of political discussion today and on every hand there have been expressions of gratification and pleasure over the honor conferred on Wisconsin as well as on Mr. Payne. Politicians seem united in the expression of the belief that Mr. Payne is especially well qualified to serve as postmaster general and think that the president has made a wise choice. Interviews with prominent republicans resulted in an almost uniform statement of high commendation for Mr. Payne and pleasure over his appointment. The general sentiment is expressed in the words of a few leading republicans who are quoted below:

District Attorney W. G. Wheeler—Mr. Payne is certainly a very able man and his ability to fill the place is unquestionable.

Assemblyman C. L. Valentine—I think the appointment a most excellent one and don't see how it could have been better. A man who has managed his own business affairs with such success and a man of such great executive ability as Mr. Payne possesses, has proved his ability to fill the high position to which he has been called.

M. G. Jeffris—I was glad to hear of the appointment and think it a first-class one. Mr. Payne is a man of great executive ability and the right man for the place.

## BOWLING CONTEST IS PULLED OFF

All Stars Were Too Much for the Badgers, and Won Out in the Series Last Night.

The first bowling contest of the season took place last night at Lettingwell's alleys, between two picked teams from this city. The team captained by Dr. James Gibson, called the "All Stars" was composed of Gibson, Hockett, Goocher, Kennedy and McCue. The opposing team was the Badgers and was captained by Tom Nolan and was composed of Nolan, Rice, Kober, Harrington and Schmidley.

The All Stars were too much for the Badgers and won out in the series of three games by 167 points, and by a good margin. None of the players really came up to their scores made at different times in practice games. McCue of the All Stars rolled the best game, his high score being 211 and his average for the three games being 170 2/3. Some of the members of whom the most was expected made the lowest scores. P. Hohenadel, Jr., officiated as referee and gave good satisfaction.

The score for the three games was as follows: All Stars: 652, 746, 751; total, 2,149. Badgers: 646, 658, 708; total, 2,012.

Another match between the two teams has been arranged and will be rolled off in the near future.

## ATTRACTING VAST CROWDS

Christmas Goods Galore, The Richest Assortment in the City

An endless variety of goods at popular prices has resulted in crowds being attracted to the Savings store on South Jackson street. No other store in the city offers such a display of strictly holiday goods. On both sides of the store extending from the ceiling to the floor shelves have been placed. Tables filled with novelties extend the length of the entire store. Even the cellar has been utilized. The Savings store stock this year includes a large array of crockery, pictures, toys, clothing and shoes. Every article kept in a general store is to be found there.

Tons of toys fill special departments. Many varieties of lamps are shown. Picture framing is done by an expert workman on short notice. The Savings Store will save you money when it comes to the purchase of holiday goods. R. E. Winbiger & Co. cordially invite visitors. Don't feel that you have to purchase here. You are just as welcome as a sightseer as a purchaser.

## FINE LINENS

No time in our history could we show you more good things in table linens, napkins, doilies, hemstitched squares, towels, lunch cloths, etc. than we can today. Beautiful pattern cloths with napkins to match.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

## Pigeon Shoot Christmas Day

Arrangements are being made for a pigeon shoot at Athletic park on Christmas day by the Janesville Shooting club. Most of the local shooters will take part in the contests and a number from outside towns are expected. There will be plenty of birds and some good scores are expected. Arrangements will be made by the club to have a warm place for the shooters.

**HANDKERCHIEF DISPLAY.** Anyone interested in the subject of handkerchiefs should visit our south store. We have displayed on tables a world of handkerchiefs, all out in plain sight, so that selecting is an easy matter. All marked in plain figures.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

A committee of trades unionists will give a social and card party at Assembly hall tomorrow evening to which all persons interested in the labor movement are invited. A program of music and speaking will be followed by cards and other amusements.

New leafsage:  
Olio boiled cider:  
N. Y. sweet cider:  
N. Y. full cream cheese:  
At W. T. Vankirk's, 12 River St.

## NEWS OF THE CITY

Heinz and H. M. M. meat. Nash. Headquarters for holiday goods. Chicago Store.

Home grown new bulk sage. Nash. Dishes for 1902. See them at Sutherland's.

H. G. sage, pure spices, Heinz pickles, condiments, &c. Nash.

Oxford Bibles. Prices very low at Sutherland's Book Store.

Bulk maple syrup, Windsor Co. Vermont goods, \$1.00 gal. Nash.

There will be extra music at the rink tonight besides the orchestra.

Don't fail to hear it.

40c. a peck gets you a fancy apple.

Nash.

We make big reductions on cloaks for holiday purchasers. T. P. Burns.

New 1901 layer dates, 5c lb. Nash.

Log Cabin maple syrup, the finest Vermont goods. Nash.

See our list of useful things suitable for holiday presents in this issue. T. P. Burns.

The best 50c tea on earth.

The best 25c coffee on earth.

W. W. Nash.

The O. E. S. study class will meet with Mrs. Brownell tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The W. C. T. U. will meet tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. in the First M. E. church.

150 size Redlands naval oranges 4c. doz. W. W. Nash.

We are selling a regular \$1.50 ladies' kid glove in all colors for \$1.00.

T. P. Burns.

White Almeria grapes. 20c. lb. Nash.

Read T. P. Burns ad in this issue of The Gazette. It will interest every member of the family.

Spring chickens. W. W. Nash.

Apples, 35c and 45c peck. Nash.

Fancy red apples, 40c. peck. Nash.

Some very low prices are being made at Skelly's Book Store on Bibles, prayer books and rosary beads.

Ladies will be admitted free every afternoon and evening at the rink this week except Saturday evening.

In The Gazette this evening T. P. Burns has a large announcement that is worthy of one's careful consideration.

Heinz mince meat, bulk.

Heinz chow chow bulk.

Heinz pickles bottle and bulk.

W. W. Nash.

Big sale on ladies' and gents' pocket books, card cases and bill books starts today at Skelly's Book Store. Don't miss this.

Christmas candles in great variety at Frank George's confectionery store.

Special prices to church societies.

Christmas tree decorations of all kinds and at prices that should mean the decoration of every tree. Frank George.

This year we are making plenty of home-made candies and at prices that should admit candy into every home in the city. Frank George.

At 20 cents per pound Frank George is selling a fine line of home-made chocolates. Goods that other stores ask more money for.

Prices that should attract a crowd a mile out of their way are quoted this evening by The Fair department store on South River street.

All new Richelieu seeded raisins.

All new fancy mixed nuts.

All new walnuts, almonds, pecans.

All new filberts and Brazils.

All new Smyrna large figs.

All new California pulled figs.

W. W. Nash.

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Business was never so brisk as it has been this year with Bort, Bailey & Co. This hustling firm are making strong inducements in every department in the way of low prices.

Holiday presents and any number of them are being shown this week by the clothing and shoe firm of Amos Rehberg & Co.

The Fair store prices in The Gazette of this evening should interest every careful buyer. See their large St. Agnes Guild Xmas sale. Useful and fancy articles, candy and cake, in the store formerly occupied by the Richardson Shoe Co. Sale will commence on Saturday morning at 11 a. m., Dec. 21st.

In Justice Reeder's court yesterday in the case of W. F. Carle vs. John Commons a judgment for \$2.41 for unlawful detainer was granted and a writ of restitution issued.

One entire show case devoted to the display of the latest effects in neckwear is the showing that Amos Rehberg & Co. are making this week. At this popular price store a 50 cent piece goes a long way in the selection of a gift.

Linon initial handkerchiefs for men, women and children. Silk initial handkerchiefs, line handkerchiefs, hemstitched tiny narrow hems to 1 in. wide; hand-embroidered handkerchiefs. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Nothing pleases the boy of the house more than a cap or a fine pair of gloves. This week the clothing firm of Amos Rehberg & Co. are showing an extra large assortment and at prices that should move them at a lively rate.

Beautiful reproductions of famous paintings, planotype upon German mirror glass with handsome gilded frames. A most acceptable souvenir. A variety of sizes of each subject from 20c to \$5 each. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Mufflers that are well made last for a number of years. For the holiday trade Amos Rehberg & Co. have placed in stock a line that would do credit to a Chicago store. At prices ranging from 50 cents to \$1 a muffler is not what one would call an expensive gift.

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Eight clerks were required today to wait on the trade at the Fair department store on South River street. In every one of the many departments prices have been made that would attract any shrewd holiday buyer.

We will please you here and surprise you with great values for little cost. Everybody expects handkerchiefs at Christmas time and this stock is able to meet every demand from 5 cents to 5 dollars. Bort, Bailey & Co.

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The Pomona Grange.

The members of the Pomona Grange are in session at the county clerk's office today, arranging the program for their meeting in Patrons Hall, Milton Junction, January 22, 23 and 24. The delegates to the meeting were George R. Barker, Janesville; John Stockman, Harmony; Wm. M. McKwan, Milton Junction; S. H. Joiner, La Prairie; J. J. Dennett, Milton; A. E. Wilcox, Harmony; A. C. Powers, Beloit. Superintendent David Thorne was assisting the committee in the educational portion of the program.

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## KINGS DAUGHTERS CHRISTMAS SALE

Affair in Baptist Church Parlors Today an Artistic as Well as Social Success.

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church held their annual Christmas sale in the church parlors this afternoon and it was an artistic as well as a social success. The booths were arranged in unique forms and were handsomely draped in various colors, streamers of crepe paper being used effectively with the bunting.

One of the handsomest booths was the oriental corner over which Mrs. Fred Bailey and her assistants presided. Sofa cushions and odd bags were sold there and the booth was made of oriental hangings, rugs and ornaments.

The doll booth of which Mrs. J. H. Huntress was chairman was dainty in pink and white and a fine display of dolls, toys and articles of clothing for babies. Mrs. O. K. Meltzer was chairman of the pretty decorated blue and white booth where rugs and many other useful articles were on sale. Under a canopy of pale green and white, handkerchiefs and aprons in dainty profusion found ready buyers. Mrs. Fred Bailey being chairman of this booth. Mrs. L. L. Leslie had charge of the pink table at which cakes and candies were sold and Miss Katherine Stoddard and Miss Clara Shurtliff, representing the Junior society, had charge of a tempting display of pop corn balls, salted nuts and candies, over which streamers of red, white and blue were draped.

Mrs. John Cunningham and Mrs. W. F. Hayes served as a reception committee and in the reception corner chocolate was served by Mrs. Wilson Lane and Mrs. A. C. Campbell.

From 5 o'clock until 10 o'clock this evening the ladies will follow a novel plan in church suppers. An oyster supper with either fried oysters or stew will be served at small tables strictly according to restaurant plan. Gentleman waiters will serve, those who will wait upon customers being Rev. Richard M. Vaughan, Dr. L. L. Leslie, W. B. Conrad, C. P. Beers, A. Lawson and J. T. Fitchett. The supper is served under the supervision of Mrs. Louise Bowerman.

Christmas sale by the Social Club of the Congregational Church, a Financial Success.

The Christmas sale conducted by the Social club of the Congregational church in the Sunday school rooms this afternoon has been one of the most successful in the history of the church. A pleasing scheme was followed in the arrangement of the booths which represented the days of the week, properly labeled. Wash day came first in spotless white, the gingham aprons, clothes pin bags and other goods for sale being displayed on clothes lines. Ironing day was represented by a pretty booth in yellow and white and here useful articles were also sold. The "sweetest day of all" occupied the center of the room and was especially attractive with elaborate drapings in the national colors. Here all kinds of dainty confections were sold.

Thursday, the day of odds and ends, was the fancy work booth and held a wonderful display of articles with special power to charm the silver from one's purse. Society day came next and here some of the ladies were "at home" to all guests and served hot chocolate and wafers during the afternoon. This booth was in yellow. Baking day was draped in white and here was displayed an array of fine cakes, canned goods and other articles of food, tempting in quality and variety. A pharmacy booth was a novelty and proved very successful. Cozy corners added to the attractiveness of the room and Mrs. C. A. Sanborn, who had charge of the sale, received much praise for the excellent manner in which the articles were arranged in the various booths.

Beginning at 5 o'clock an elegant turkey supper was served in the church parlors below, bringing the sale to a happy and successful close.

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The Pomona Grange.

The members of the Pomona Grange are in session at the county clerk's office today, arranging the program for their meeting in Patrons Hall, Milton Junction, January 22, 23 and 24. The delegates to the meeting were George R. Barker, Janesville; John Stockman, Harmony; Wm. M. McKwan, Milton Junction; S. H. Joiner, La Prairie; J. J. Dennett, Milton; A. E. Wilcox, Harmony; A. C. Powers, Beloit. Superintendent David Thorne was assisting the committee in the educational portion of the program.

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The full line of choice Beefeld Cloaks now on hand to be closed out below manufacturers prices.

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Beautiful reproductions of famous paintings, planotyped upon German mirror glass with handsome gilded frames. A most acceptable souvenir. A variety of sizes of each subject from 20c to \$5 each.

### Umbrellas

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### Pillow Tops

More than 500 of the newest ideas in Art Pillow covers, a metropolitan assortment. Prices made low to clear the lot rapidly. The designs are a picture gallery of thought and at the low cost many a cozy corner will be brightened. 25c, 35c, 50c, for Pillow Tops

### Brooches and Lace Pins

Beautiful designs set with Brilliants Rubies, Opals, Pearls, Turquoises. A manufacturers complete line, bought at 50 cents on the dollar and sold in the same way at 25c, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00

### Mittens, 25c.

Fine Saxony mittens with fancy backs, for ladies, misses and children. Extreme values for 25c.

### For the Babies

Knit saques, booties, Angora hoods, knit undershirts, silk and wool mittens, soft hair brushes, leg-gings, wool veils, pinning blankets.

### Combs

Side combs, back combs, pompadour combs, side combs of shell, amber and black, all of the very latest styles you will find them.

### Huck Towels, 45x27

The largest, finest linen huck towel ever shown in this city. You would guess 40 or 50c on it. We bought 100 dozen as a leader. They go at 25c.

### Harvard and Oxford Mufflers

for ladies and gents. The very latest Mufflers. We show a complete line from 50c to \$1.50.

### Fur Scarfs

With the large fluffy tail are the latest for the neck. We call particular attention to our line at \$6, \$6.50, \$7.50 and 10.00

### Table Linens and Napkins

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### Ladies Fur Muffs

A complete line of all the popular Furs in the correct shape. On this line we save you big money.

### Rugs

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We will show you all shades, the heaviest and finest silk Taffeta Ribbon. No. 40, comprising all the newest shades—Corose, Cadet, Imperial, Reine, Coquelicot and all the new colorings.

### Stick Pins and Hat Pins.

An immense line of samples, set with beautiful stones, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. We are sure to please you on this line.

### Kid Gloves and Mittens.

A complete line of colors and black. Ours we guarantee and sell them to you a little cheaper than you can find them elsewhere.

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### TRAINS IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

Mail Clerk Is Killed and Eight Are Injured in Iowa.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Dec. 18.—The Milwaukee road's passenger train No. 3 and freight No. 62 collided head-on at Potter, a station five miles west of Tama. Mail Clerk J. E. Carpenter of Columbus Junction was instantly killed. Engineer Ben Giles was severely injured, and seven passengers were slightly hurt. The trains met on a curve, just east of the station. The engineer of the freight train says that the brakes failed to work.

### Quadruple Suicide in Ohio.

Columbus, O., Dec. 18.—Two young women and two young men were found dead at a boarding house, and evidence points to a quadruple suicide, deliberately planned. The dead are: Pearl Warner, Lou Kline, Sherman Lothouse, John Jacobs. The couples went to the boarding house on Sunday. Monday nothing was seen of them. Monday night the doors to their rooms were forced open and the occupants were discovered lying on the beds, dead. The keyholes and cracks around the doors had been closed with rags, and the fumes of chloroform filled the rooms.

### Start in Free Miss Stone.

Constantinople, Dec. 18.—W. W. Peet, treasurer of the Turkish mission in Constantinople, accompanied by Gargula, dragoman of the United States legation here, started last night to meet the brigands who hold Miss Stone captive. In accordance with instructions received from Washington, they will attempt to secure the release of the prisoner in exchange for the ransom money now available. It is reported here that Mme. Tskika's baby is still alive and well.

### Miners Will Not Organize.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Albert Manka, who has been in the employ of the United Mine Workers as organizer in the Clarksburg and Fairmont districts, says the United Mine Workers have abandoned that field and will withdraw their organizers. He says the miners are satisfied with present conditions and are unwilling to join the organization.

### Mrs. McKinley Has Visitors.

Canton, C., Dec. 18.—Two sisters of the late President—Mrs. A. J. Duncan and Miss Helen McKinley of Cleveland—are here to visit Mrs. McKinley. Mrs. McKinley's condition remains much the same as it has been since the funeral of her husband. She does not require medical attention, although Drs. Portmann and Phillips see her once or twice a week.

### Bank Safe Fails Thieves.

Lebanon, Ind., Dec. 18.—Safeblower: robbed the safes of the Farmers' Bank and John Laughner's drug store at

Whitestown this morning. Laughner's safe was wrecked and \$50 and some jewelry secured. The door of the bank safe was blown off, but the robbers could not get through the inside door, and left a placard hanging on the knob.

### Gov. Gregory Is Dead.

Wickford, R. I., Dec. 18.—Governor William Gregory of Rhode Island died at his home here yesterday afternoon after an illness of several months. He was 62 years old. Mr. Gregory began life as a "bobbin boy" in a woolen mill. He served his state in both houses of the legislature and was once lieutenant governor.

### Death of Russian Philanthropist.

Vienna, Dec. 18.—The death of the Russian philanthropist, Sibirjakoff, at the monastery of Athosberg, near Moscow, removes one of the most remarkable figures in modern Russian life. His total charitable contributions are estimated at 30,000,000 roubles, or upward of 3,000,000 pounds.

### Hotel Man Makes Assignment.

New York, Dec. 18.—For the benefit of creditors Charles James, lessee of the Brevoort House in Fifth avenue and the Chastalneray Hotel in Madison avenue, has made an assignment. It is said the assets will cover the liabilities. The business stability of the Brevoort will not be affected by the assignment.

### Fire Loss at Aurora, Ill.

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 18.—One of the largest and best-equipped business blocks in Aurora, owned by M. Ziegler, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$5,000 last night. The loss of tenants follows: Keasel's dry goods store, \$2,000; Ziegler Brothers, plumbers, \$1,000; and P. O. Glassford, restaurant, \$500.

### Asphyxiated by Natural Gas.

Akron, O., Dec. 18.—H. L. Kidwell and Nicholas Breazy, were asphyxiated by natural gas in their room. They had a gas stove turned on full force and during the night the gas pressure was increased and it is supposed fumes escaped into the room which ended their lives.

### Price of Lead Reduced.

New York, Dec. 18.—Beginning today, a new and reduced price for lead will go into effect, says the Herald. At a meeting of the executive committee of the American Smelting and Refining company it was decided to cut the price of lead from 4.37½ cents a pound to 4 cents.

### Dr. R. S. Hildekoper Is Dead.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 18.—Dr. Rush S. Hildekoper, a Spanish war veteran and Commissioner General to the Hamburg Exposition in 1883 for the United States, died here.

### Farmer's Son Killed by Train.

Kewanee, Ill., Dec. 18.—Joseph M. Stewart, aged 36, the son of a wealthy farmer at Piceville, Ill., was killed on the railroad tracks here.

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### Felt Shoes

will keep your feet warm. We have them and the prices are right. If you do not want a slipper we can give you

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Men's Best Enamel Welt Sole Shoes, \$3 50 and \$5.00.

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Men's Satin Calf Shoes, 2.00 and \$2 50.

Ladies' Enamel welt sole shoes, 3.00 to \$5. Heavy sole, 2.50, 3 00 and \$3.50.

Hand turned, 3.00, 3 50 and \$4.00.

Misses Enamel Shoes, \$2.00.

Misses' Kid, heavy sole, 1.50 and \$2.00

Children's, kid, heavy sole, 80c, \$1 00, \$1 25

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We have got the Shoes to exchange for money and we invite your inspection of our immense stock.

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West End of Bridge. The Foot Fitting Shoe Men. We run a first-class repair shop, best of work guaranteed.



## GRANTS SCHLEY TIME.

His Attorneys Have Until Thursday to Prepare Their Statement.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Secretary Long informed Senator McComas that he would grant Admiral Schley's attorney an extension of twenty-four hours of the time originally allowed for the submission of their statement. This will make the time expire Thursday at 4 o'clock. Attorney Rayner and Admiral Schley are conferring in Baltimore. They will claim that the findings of the court should be set aside on the broad ground that they are not in accordance with the evidence; and following this each point in the report, such as the charges of dilatoriness, disobedience of orders, the sending of misleading dispatches, the controversy with Lieutenant Hodgson, the famous loop, etc., will be touched upon in turn and the salient features of the evidence disproving these charges pointed out.

## Harvard Men Cheer Schley.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 18.—Admiral Schley's popularity with the Harvard students was illustrated during Professor Strobel's lecture on International law to-day. During the lecture the professor mentioned Admiral Schley as having been in command of the American fleet during the Chilean revolution of 1891. When his name was mentioned the entire class, which is composed mostly of upper class men, broke into long and enthusiastic applause, which lasted several minutes.

## Sampson to File Protest.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Rear Admiral Sampson has decided to protest the finding of the Schley court of inquiry—or, rather, the minority report of Admiral Dewey. His attorneys were busy in New York to-day drawing up the formal protest on the part of Rear Admiral Sampson.

## Russian Peasantry Burn Castle.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 18.—A remarkable revolt, alleged to be due to harsh treatment of the peasantry, has taken place on the estate of Count Palen, near Mitau, twenty-five miles from Riga.

The peasantry rose in a body, be sieged the castle, set fire to it, and danced around the blazing building. The police were powerless against the mob, and troops were summoned. The latter, however, were too late to be of any service. Everything was destroyed, including the valuable gallery of paintings.

## Pupils in Schools of Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 18.—Following are some of the school statistics for the last fiscal year, taken from the report of Professor Alfred Bayliss, State Superintendent of Public Institutions. Number of pupils enrolled in the public schools, 455,350 males and 427,284 females. The average attendance was 756,558. There were 176 buildings used for school purposes, the estimated value of the properties, including libraries and apparatus, being \$50,839, \$41. The average salaries of teachers, \$55.22.

## G. A. R. Committee Named.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 18.—Ell Torrence, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has announced the following as the committee on pensions: Colonel Robert Beath, Philadelphia; General John C. Black, Chicago; General James R. Carnahan, Indianapolis; Judge Charles G. Burton, Nevada, Mo.; ex-Governor W. H. Upham, Marshfield, Wis.; Henry E. Taintor, Hartford, Conn.; and John C. Linehan, Penacook, N. H.

## Illinois Office Holders to Stay.

Washington, Dec. 18.—President Roosevelt has decided that all of the old federal officeholders in Illinois shall be re-appointed.

## Not Engaged to Capt. Hobson.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 18.—A Times-Star special from Springfield, O., says that Miss Eleanor Ludlow, niece of ex-Gov. Bushnell, said: "There is positively no truth in the report of the engagement of Capt. Richmond P. Hobson and myself. You will do me a favor to deny it and you cannot make the statement too emphatic."

## Pope Is in Good Health.

Rome, Dec. 18.—In an interview the pope complains about the false reports in regard to his health. "You see," the pope says, "that it is not all over with men. I work six or eight hours daily, and my work is not easy, for I embrace the whole church. Please say that I am not yet dead."

## Warship Goes to Mexico.

Honolulu, Dec. 9, (via San Francisco, Dec. 18).—The battleship Wisconsin will leave here on the 12th inst., for Acapulco, Mexico. She is now quarantined against the shore on account of reports of three cases of bubonic plague here during the month of November.

## Extreme Cold in Portugal.

Lisbon, Dec. 18.—The cold weather prevailing here is quite unprecedented. Two sentries have been frozen to death. The river Tagus is full of drift ice. The provinces of Portugal have been swept by a snowstorm.

## Asks New National Holiday.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Representative William Alden Smith of Michigan introduced a bill in the house making the birthday of William McKinley, Jan. 29, a national holiday.

## London Papers Oppose Treaty.

London, Dec. 18.—With the exception of the Globe, the afternoon newspapers comment approvingly on the ratification of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty by the United States senate.

## Gold Discovered in Finland.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 18.—Portions of Finland are having a gold boom, gold having been discovered at Olenaborg.

## City Wins; Bondholders Lose.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 18.—Judge C. D. Clark of the United States Circuit Court here refused the application of the Chicago holders of bonds of the City of Greenville, Tenn., to enjoin an election to surrender the charter of that city. The purpose of the move is to reincorporate so as to eliminate saloons. The injunction was asked on the ground that this might impair the validity of the bonds of the old corporation.

## Gift of \$1,250,000 to University.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—The University of Chicago received a Christmas present of \$1,250,000 yesterday from John D. Rockefeller, the founder of the institution. A gift of \$375,437 was also announced, with the names of the donors and the purpose for which the amount was given withheld.

## Philippine Bill in the House.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—The bill to provide temporary revenues for the Philippine Islands was debated in the House and will be voted on at 4 o'clock to-day.

## Palpitation,

fluttering or irregular pulsations are an indication of weakness of the nerves or muscles of the heart. A weakness long continued produces deformity and organic disease. If your heart action is weak, make it strong. Build up the muscles and strengthen the nerves with the greatest of all heart remedies, Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

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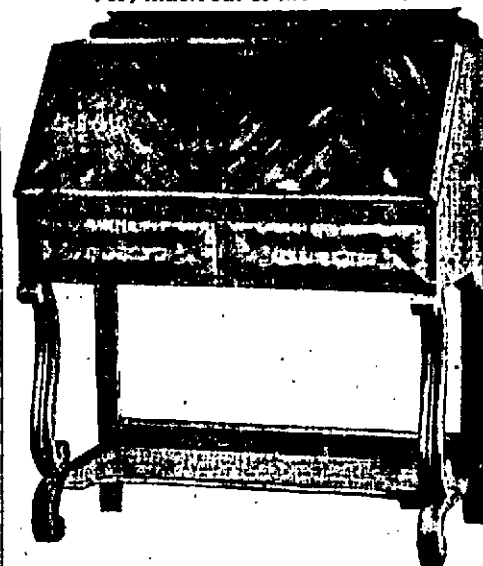
Beautiful Holiday

## Furniture and Crockery

Have you seen the gorgeous display of Holiday Goods at Putnam's? It has taken months of tireless efforts to gather these showings, and busy hands have been at work for weeks in arranging and displaying the goods as they arrived. Our stock of furniture, china, dolls, toys, &c., have been bought with such great care, that we offer the lowest prices ever known and bound to sustain our well earned reputation of being the greatest economy stores in Janesville.

## FURNITURE ATTRACTIONS

Very much out of the ordinary.



The above cut shows one of the beautiful mahogany ladies' desks to be found in our stock. It is made of the most beautiful mahogany with the most graceful lines and curves. We would suggest it as an excellent gift for some lady.

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Largest Showing of Toys and Dolls  
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Hook & ladder wags,  
Fire Engines;  
Hose Carts,  
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Horse and Wagons,  
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Saving Banks,  
Express Wagons,  
Mechanical Toys,  
Dancing Clowns,  
Automobile,  
Auto Exp. Wagon,  
Boats,  
Street Cars,  
Musical Clowns.

Steam Engines,  
Magic Lanterns,  
Lantern Slides,  
Rattles, Balls,

Juvenile Books,  
Dolls! Dolls!  
Art Pictures,  
Fancy China.

Sleds,  
Ten Pins,  
Building Blocks,  
Go-Carts,  
Doll Buggies,  
Express Wagons,  
Dump Carts,  
Toy Dressers,  
Chiffonieres,  
Side Boards,  
China Closets,  
Pianos,  
Blackboards,  
Doll Houses,  
Grocery Stores,  
Child's Chair,  
Tables,  
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Games, all kinds,  
Including Crokinole,  
Caromette,  
Owl Game Board,  
Lotto, Chess,  
Old Maid,  
Fish Pond,  
Peter Coddle,  
Authors,  
&c., &c.

Toilet Sets,  
Manicure Sets,  
Work Boxes,  
Smoking Sets,  
Handkerchief Boxes,  
Glove & Tie Cases,  
Ink Wells,  
Trinket Trays,  
Photo Albums,  
Photo Boxes,  
Vases,  
Smoking Sets,  
Ink Wells,  
Handkerchiefs,  
Neckties,  
Hair Bows,  
Fancy Supporters,  
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Card Cases,  
Mufflers,  
Gloves,  
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Baretas,  
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Perfume,  
Lockets,  
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## Holiday Novelties.

Even with the amount of space we are unable to give you a list of our entire assortment. This season our goods are so much prettier than any description we can give of them in print. For the Holiday buyers this week we have made extra preparations. A glance over the following may assist you:

All grades of Table Linen; Napkins; Towels; stamped Linen; Sofa Pillows; Chenille and Damask Table Covers; White Bed Spreads; home made Bed Comforters; all grades of Blankets; all grades of Dress Goods; all grades of Silks and Velvets; all grades of ladies' gents' and childrens' Underwear; gents' wool Overshirts; gents' laundered percale Shirts; gents' and ladies' outing flannel Night Shirts; gents' Cardigan Jackets; gents' laundered and unlaundered White Shirts; ladies' Muslin Underwear; all grades of ladies' gents' and childrens' Hosiery in cotton, fleece lined and wool; ladies' and childrens' Leggings; ladies' Kid Gloves; ladies' cashmere Mittens; ladies' Kidd Mittens; gents' Kidd Gloves; gents' lined Kidd Mitts and Gloves; all grades of Carpet Art Squares; Moquette Rugs; Persian Rugs; Hassocks; Lace Gurtains; Damask Gurtains; Chenille Gurtains; Carpet Sweepers.



## Holiday Novelties.

This season we can freely say that we are showing a collection of holiday goods that leaves no wish in our line unsatisfied, at prices that are in accord with the governing principal that has made this store famous. A glance over the following list is sure to assist you in making your Christmas purchases, and every article and piece of goods here mentioned is marked at prices that cannot help but claim the attention of posted buyers:

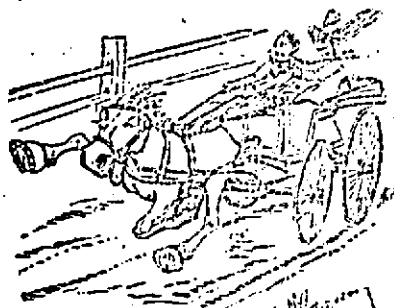
Handkerchiefs by the wholesale for ladies, gents and children in cotton, linen and silk; gents' cashmere Mufflers; gents' silk Mufflers; gents' and ladies' ties; gents' and boys' Suspenders; Pocket Books, Belts; Buckles; Perfumery; ladies' and gents' Umbrellas; Fans; White Aprons and Gingham Aprons, Wool Fascinators; ladies' flannel Underskirts; ladies' fancy stripe Taffeta Underskirts; ladies' flannelette House Dresses; ladies' wool Dress Skirts; ladies' fancy silk and wool Waists; Mackintoshes; Baby Cloaks; Feather Boas; ladies' Muffs, all grades; ladies' Fur Scarfs; all grades and styles in ladies' Fur Collarettes; all styles of ladies' fur and cloth Caps; and last but not least, all our new and stylish cloaks at great reduction.

Economy and reliability go hand in hand here. Come and reap the benefits of our Christmas bargains. All presents held and delivered at wish of purchaser. We invite sightseers.

# T. P. BURNS

Buy useful presents for your relatives and friends and they are sure to be appreciated. We greet you this year with a selection second to none in Rock County.

## GRAB SALE



### JEWELRY

You'll Have to Hurry!

**1500 PACKAGES.**

**GRABBING COMMENCES NEXT SATURDAY**

AT 8 A. M.

From our recent jewelry sale we had left numerous novelties that sold at prices ranging from 25c to \$3. These articles, together with several hundred others, we have arranged one to a box. Next Saturday morning at 8 o'clock sharp, we place on sale 1500 uniform packages, your choice, at 25c. In these packages we have also placed the following jewelry pieces which you are liable to draw:

Gold filled watch	\$15.00
Solid gold rings	8.00
Berry spoons	1.50
Silver creamer and sugar	1.50
Gold plated picture frames	1.50

This sale is the first of its kind in Janesville. **You Can't Loose.** Every article has a full 25c value. You may get the \$15 watch. Remember the hour.

## S. C. BURNHAM & CO.

Jewelers

HAYES BLOCK

Optician

## Christmas Goods At Wholesale Prices.

Hand decorated lamps, complete, from 1.00 to	\$6
Story books, latest authors, 10c to	15c
Children's silk hoods, from 25c to	35c
Ladies' embroidery & lace edged handkerchiefs, from 5c to 25c	
Choice bed blankets, per pair	85c
Shetland floss and ice wool fascinators	45c up
Fringed napkins, each	5c
Children's handkerchiefs, 3 for	5c
Fancy doilies, all shapes and sizes	15c up
Children's wool fleeced mitts, per pair	5c
Finest chamber toilet sets; scissors, razors and table cutlery; 6 Ivory handled knives, regular price \$2, only	\$1.00
All kinds of Rubber Goods for the feet.	
A \$12 overcoat for	\$8
20 pounds granulated sugar	\$1
Fifty best flour in the city	95c
1 seeded or 1 pound Muscatel raisins	8c
1 package cleaned currants	10c
Cit on, lemon or orange peel, per pound	15c
The best cooking potatoes in the city, per bushel	90c
Janesville canned corn	7c

And many more articles bought especially for the occasion at

**Prices That Will Please All.**

## THE FAIR STORE,

Corner River and Dodge Streets.